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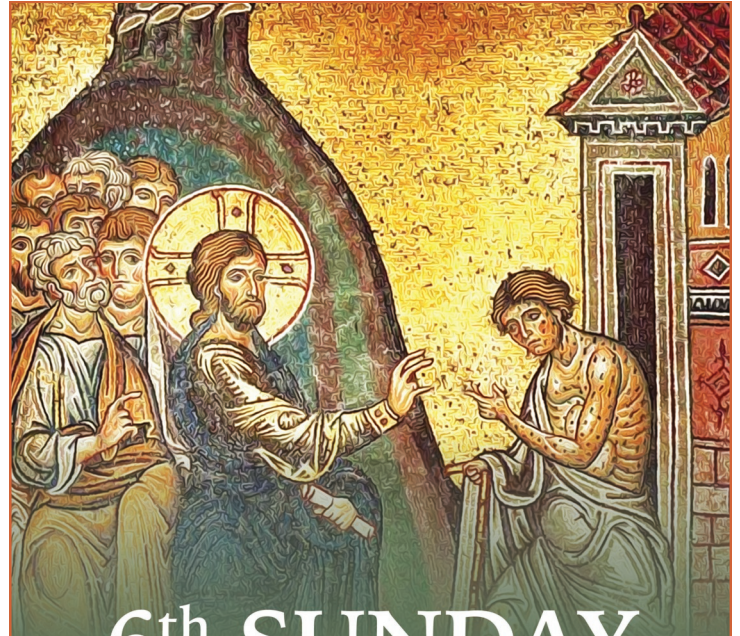
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6th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

A leper came to Jesus and kneeling down begged him and said, "If you wish, you can make me clean." Moved with pity, he stretched out his hand, touched him, and said to him, "I do will it. Be made clean." - Mk 1:40-41

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Mission Statement

We, the people of Mary, Queen of Peace, are called to be a Catholic faith community centered around prayer and worship and embodying Gospel values. We are a family of Christians committed to growth in faith and holiness as signs of God's presence in the world. We act in imitation of Christ, by reaching beyond ourselves in service to others.

Mass Schedule

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| Saturday Anticipation | 5:00 pm |
| Sunday | 8:00 am and 10:30 am |
| Weekday | Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30 pm Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 am |



Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday, February 12

No Mass.

Tuesday, February 13

11:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Oscar Guerrero.

Wednesday, February 14 Ash Wednesday

Noon † In loving memory of Helen L. Disney.

7:00 p.m. A special intention for Thomas J. Novak Jr.

Thursday, February 15

5:30 p.m. † All Souls.

Friday, February 16

8:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Joel Bullard.

Saturday, February 17

5:00 p.m. † In loving memory of Katelyn Neureiter.

Sunday, February 18 1st Sunday of Lent

8:00 a.m. For our Family, Mary, Queen of Peace.

10:30 a.m. † In loving memory of Rose Mary Sheley.



Time ~ Talent ~ Treasure

Treasure

Collection for February 4, 2018

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| This Week's Regular Collection (146 envelopes) | \$8,250.87 |
| This Week's Gold Envelope Collection (51 envelopes) | \$1,825.00 |
| Collection for the Propagation of the Faith (5 envelopes) | \$47.00 |
| Initial Offering (to help offset cost of collection envelopes) (2 envelopes) | \$20.00 |
| Criterion Subscriptions paid | \$66.00 |

Budgeted Year-to-Date **\$264,768.00**

Actually Received **\$291,351.29**

Variance to Budget **\$26,583.29**

Time & Talent

Thank you to Stuart Williams and Steve Flory for working on the installation of the water heater in the church basement.

Retrouvaille: Help for Hurting Marriages

Retrouvaille is a worldwide program that teaches couples how to rediscover each other and work through difficult times in their marriages. This program offers an opportunity for you and your spouse to work privately on your marriage. During the weekend phase of Retrouvaille, a series of presentations are given by a team of three couples and a priest. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending the weekend and follow-up sessions. To learn more about the program or to register for the February 23 - 25 weekend and follow-up post-weekend sessions in Indianapolis, visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or www.retrouvaille.org. You can also email: RetrouIndy@gmail.com or call 317-489-6811 for confidential registration information.

Bereavement Retreat for Adults

St. Malachy, 9833 East County Road 750 North, Brownsburg, will be offering a bereavement retreat in their Holy Family Room on Saturday, February 17, 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. There is no cost and a continental breakfast and lunch are provided. This is sponsored by the St. Malachy Knights of Columbus.

To register contact Linda Pirau in the Care Ministry office at 317-852-3195, ext:7100 or lpirau@stmalachy.org



*In Honor of our Blessed Mother
Mary, Queen of Peace,
The Sacred Heart of Jesus
Or St. Joseph*

Laura & Francis Perrelle

If you would like to make a donation for fresh flowers to be placed before one of the statues in the church, please use the envelopes that are located in the vestibule. Donations will be accepted in honor of our Blessed Mother, Mary, Queen of Peace, The Sacred Heart of Jesus, or St. Joseph and given in the name of whomever you choose. Envelopes can be dropped in the collection. Thank you, *The Liturgy Committee*



For all those living in assisted living and nursing homes, also Pauline Cave, Peggy Cave, Bob Elliott, Rita Fritsch, Jim Goldman, Bud Harvey, Denny Kashman, Felicia Osmialowski, Goldie Parsons, Rex Parsons, Katie Reynolds, David Sheets, and Gene Trapp. **We ask that the Lord heal them and restore them to good health.**

Prayer Line

If you know of someone who needs the special healing power of prayer, or to become a part of this ministry, call Fran Strauss at 317-745-5640.

Sacrament of Reconciliation Schedule

St. Malachy

Saturday, 8:45 – 10:00 a.m.
Or anytime by appointment

St. Susanna

Saturday, 4:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Or anytime by appointment

Mary, Queen of Peace

Saturday, 3:30 – 4:30 p.m.
Or anytime by appointment





*"God has found me worthy to be a minister of His Gospel,
and so when I speak, I strive to please God and not men."*

1 Thessalonians 2:4

+Dear Friends,

This is one of those Sundays when we should especially stand back and marvel, truly marvel, at the works of our Lord Jesus. In curing the leper, Jesus broke down barriers that had existed for centuries. With one simple gesture of healing, (like that is "simple"!) Jesus changed everything.

He stretched forth His Hand to the leper and *touch*ed him, making the unclean clean. The image of healing is so very beautiful, isn't it? Jesus *touch*ed the man. The beauty lies not only the physical healing of the leper but in the sacred and joyous act by our God of touching man.

It should be easy for all of us to reflect in our own hearts on the areas of our lives that need this healing touch of Jesus Christ. Perhaps it is a hardened heart; filled with bitterness and bile, distorting our facial expressions and all but hanging a sign around our necks that says: "Get outta my way. I'm not interested in anything you may have to say to me. I've formed my opinion about you and I'm not open to changing it." Sound familiar to you? Or, perhaps it's an apathetic and I might even say pathetic prayer life. "I'm too busy to pray. I don't think God cares if I am at Mass or go to confession. I'll just keep doing what I'm doing." Again, sound familiar? Sadly, one can see these attitudes each day; even at Mass.

Let us be reminded, dear brothers and sisters, that at our Baptism we were washed clean by the touch of Christ Jesus through the hand of His priest. Let us remind ourselves that each time we come to confession, we are washed clean by the touch of Jesus through the hand of His priest. Let us remind ourselves that we are fed and nourished by the Sacred Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ through the hand of His priest at each Holy Mass. Let us remind ourselves that our dear Lord remains a "Prisoner of the Tabernacle" of His own divine choice, for us and our salvation. Why do some stay away?

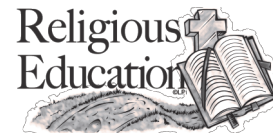
Let us pray at this Mass for one another. Let us pray for those who have stopped attending Holy Mass or have left the True Church that they may come home. Let us pray for one who is truly hurting.

An important reminder: this next Wednesday, February 14, is ASH WEDNESDAY!

Masses will be offered at NOON and again at 7:00 pm. The day is one of FAST AND ABSTINENCE. Please see the bulletin for more information on those regulations. Remember also, STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be offered on the Fridays of Lent beginning at 6:00 pm! CONFESSIONS will be heard on Wednesdays of Lent (excluding March 21st) from 6:00-7:00 pm! Come, let us make our Lenten journey together!

May God, Who has begun this good work in us, bring it to completion!

Father Michael Sutedo



Our Lady of Fatima Retreat Center (5353 East 56th St. in Indianapolis) will be hosting two upcoming events of interest:

February 18 - Return to the Shack, view and discuss the film.

March 16-18 - Lenten Weekend Retreat (Friday evening through Sunday at 1:00 p.m.) with Fr. Jim Farrell.

Find information on these events and more at: archindy.org/fatima/calendar/full.html

It is a few months before we are ready for Vacation Bible School in June, but we are starting to look for volunteers to help with our fun, unique religious education experience. Is God calling you to serve our parish children in this way? Please talk with Matthew Fallon in the office to discuss your offer of help, thank you.

On March 11 the Level 7 class will recreate the Stations of the Cross devotional prayer. We will be on the east edge of the parking lot, or in the basement, depending on the weather. All are welcome to join the RE classes at 9:15 a.m. for this communal prayer.

At-A-Glance Parish Schedule

Sunday, February 11

- 9:00 a.m. Religious Education Classes
- 9:10 a.m. Adult Education - Matthew, the King & His Kingdom
- 9:00 a.m. Confirmation Class
- 11:30 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained

Monday, February 12

- 7:30 p.m. Adult Education - Matthew, the King & His Kingdom

Tuesday, February 13

- 11:30 a.m. Mass followed by the Forever Young pitch-in luncheon
- 6:30 p.m. Women's Club Social
- 7:00 p.m. Women's Club Meeting
- 7:00 p.m. R.C.I.A. - Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

Wednesday, February 14

- 10:00 a.m. Adult Education - Mass Readings Explained

Thursday, February 15

Friday, February 16

- 4:30 p.m. Fish Fry sponsored by our youth
- 7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross

Saturday, February 17

If you have a usable exercise bicycle but are no longer using it, and would like to like to pass it along to a good home, please contact the parish office, 317-745-4284.

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

Weekend of February 17 & 18

MASS COORDINATORS

5:00 p.m. Phil Schneider
8:00 a.m. Charlotte Pell
10:30 a.m. Mary O'Brien

MINISTERS OF HOSPITALITY

5:00 p.m. Alex Earl, Tonya Earl
Jim Parsey, Jim Schweizer
8:00 a.m. Todd Deno, Debbie Green
Dick Harvey, Kim Pecar
10:30 a.m. Ron Beaman, Ryan Grundman
Joan Kimbley, Justin Snider

READERS

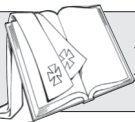
5:00 p.m. Kathy Stamper, D.J. DesJarlais
8:00 a.m. Nick Schmutte, Greg Purvis
10:30 a.m. Audrey Petree, Carra Origer

SERVERS

5:00 p.m. Andrew Earl, Amy Earl
8:00 a.m. Leslie Pell, Olivia Pell
10:30 a.m. Camden Brewer, Drew Petree

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF COMMUNION

5:00 p.m. Bob Mathis
8:00 a.m. Margie Cope
10:30 a.m. Dixie Chaille, Julie Petree
Clara Petree



Liturgical Meditations

Monday, February 12, 2018

James 1:1-11/Psalm 119:67, 68, 71, 72, 75, 76 [77a]/
Mark 8:11-13

Tuesday, February 13, 2018

James 1:12-18/Psalm 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19 [12a]/
Mark 8:14-21

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

Joel 2:12-18/2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2/Psalm 51:3-4, 5-
6ab, 12-13, 14 and 17 [cf. 3a]/Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday, February 15, 2018

Deuteronomy 30:15-20/Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 and 6 [40:5a]/
Luke 9:22-25

Friday, February 16, 2018

Isaiah 58:1-9a/Psalm 51:3-4, 5-6ab, 18-19 [19b]/
Matthew 9:14-15

Saturday, February 17, 2018

Isaiah 58:9b-14/Psalm 86:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 [11ab]/
Luke 5:27-32

Sunday, February 18, 2018

Genesis 9:8-15/Psalm 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9 [cf. 10]/
1 Peter 3:18-22/Mark 1:12-15

Lenten Disciplines



Abstinence from meat is to be observed by all Catholics 14 years and older on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays of Lent.

Fasting is to be observed on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday by all Catholics who are 18 years of age but not yet 59. Those who are bound by this may take only one full meal. Two smaller meals are permitted if necessary to maintain strength according to one's needs, but eating solid foods between meals is not permitted.

By the threefold discipline of fasting, almsgiving and prayer, the Church keeps Lent from Ash Wednesday until the evening of Holy Thursday, which is on March 29.

"The Light is on for You"

Confessions

Every Wednesday during Lent (with the exception of March 21) 6:00 - 7:00 p.m. And, every Saturday 3:45 - 4:30 p.m.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday 6:00 p.m.



During the solemn season of Lent there will be no flowers placed before the statues of Mary, the Sacred Heart or St. Joseph. The flowers will return at Easter.

Your contribution for flowers to remember or honor someone will be accepted throughout Lent, and used after Easter.

Forever Young

Grab your sweetie and come to our Valentine Luncheon, on Tuesday, February 13. Mass is at 11:30 a.m. with the luncheon immediately following. Judy is planning on Honey Baked ham, sweet potato casserole, and deviled eggs. Bring your favorite side dish and join us for fellowship and fun. Anyone 55 or older qualifies for our Forever Young Group. Hope to see many of you there!

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