



Holy Redeemer Catholic Church & School

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January 16, 2022 ~ 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Welcome to
Holy Redeemer
Catholic Church**

Mass Schedule

(Continuing to be live streamed)

Weekend Mass

Saturday 5:00 pm

Sunday 9:00 am

Daily Mass

Tuesday 8:00 am

Wednesday 6:30 pm

Thursday 8:00 am

Friday 7:45 am

(School Mass)

Reconciliation

Wednesday 5:45 - 6:15 pm

Saturday 4:00 - 4:40 pm

Parish Office Hours

Mon. - Fri. 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

(closed for lunch 11:30 am - 12:30 pm)



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There was a wedding at Cana in Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples were also invited to the wedding. When the wine ran short, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." - Jn 2:1-3



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Our Weekly Offering

January 1 & 2

Weekly Budget.....	\$20,000.00
Weekly Actual.....	\$24,530.55
Over/(Short).....	\$4,530.55
YTD Budget.....	\$540,000.00
YTD Actual.....	\$540,259.23
Over/(Short).....	\$259.23
Mass Attendance	
Saturday 5 pm.....	169
Sunday 9 am.....	281
Total In-Person.....	450

January 8 & 9

Weekly Budget.....	\$20,000.00
Weekly Actual.....	\$31,153.54
Over/(Short).....	\$11,153.54
YTD Budget.....	\$560,000.00
YTD Actual.....	\$571,412.77
Over/(Short).....	\$11,412.77
Mass Attendance	
Saturday 5pm.....	147
Sunday 9 am.....	323
Total In-Person.....	470



Parish Office Closed January 17th

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, January 17th in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.



Preschool & Pre-K Registration Now Open

Holy Redeemer Preschool and Pre-K will open registration for current parishioners and school families on Jan. 18. Registration will be open to the public on Feb. 3 at our Open House for any remaining spots. Please register early to hold a spot if interested! We will fill quickly! **Please call the school office for further information 812-422-3688.**

Pilgrimage

A Community Event

Holy Redeemer, The Diocesan Vacations Office, The Diocese of Evansville Cursillo Movement, St. Joseph-Vanderburgh County, & Resurrection Catholic Churches invite you to an evening of reflection and community.



Join us for 3 evenings of inspiring reflections and witness from evangelist and Catholic convert, **Keith Nester.**

January 16th: 6:00 • Holy Redeemer

**Join us for Dinner at 5:00! \$8 per person.*

January 17th 6:00 • Sacred Heart

January 18th: 6:00 • Resurrection

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Each Evening*

Keith is a former pastor/youth pastor with more than 20 years in full-time ministry. Keith has served in United Methodist, Assemblies of God, and Evangelical Free churches in various roles. In 2017, after a 20 year long discernment process, Keith resigned his full-time ministry position and joined the Catholic Church. Through the ministry of Down to Earth, Keith continues to use his preaching gifts to speak in Churches and events about faith, theology and his journey to Catholicism. Keith is also very active on YouTube where he makes videos and other content bringing the truths of the Catholic Faith to the world in his own unique style.

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Weekly Calendar January 17-23

All Masses will continue to be live streamed.

Monday, January 17

Martin Luther King Jr. Day

No School

Parish Office Closed

10:00am Men's Group via Zoom

6:30pm SVDP

6:00pm Keith Nester Pilgrimage at Sacred Heart

Tuesday, January 18

8:00am Mass

9:00am Women's Group

6:00pm Keith Nester Pilgrimage at Resurrection

6:00pm Community Involvement

Wednesday, January 19

2:30pm Café Christo PM

5:45pm Reconciliation

6:30pm Mass

7:15pm Spiritual Life & Worship

Thursday, January 20

8:00am Mass

8:45am Flame of Love Rosary

9:30am Women's Crafting Group

6:30pm Choir Practice

6:30pm Women's Study-The Chosen

Friday, January 21

7:45am School Mass

5:30pm Mass for Life at St. Benedict

Saturday, January 22

4:00 pm Reconciliation

5:00pm Mass

Sunday, January 23

9:00am Mass

10:00am Religious Ed. Class

10:00am RCIA-Catechumenate

10:15am Women's Study-The Bible Timeline

12:00pm Confirmation Session #1



Tuesday, January 18

8:00am

JoAnne Meth †

Wednesday, January 19

6:30pm

Charles Jarvist

Thursday, January 20

8:00am

Michael Kormelink †

Friday, January 21

7:45am

Rosalie Spurlock †

Saturday, January 22

5:00pm Mass

Holy Redeemer

Sunday, January 23

9:00am Mass

Adele Harris †



**United Caring
Shelter
Desserts
Collection**

Desserts Needed

The Community Involvement

Commission dessert collection for January will be the 4th Tuesday of this month, January 25.

Please help The United Caring Shelter by bringing store bought or homemade baked goods to the parish office on **Monday January 24 or Tuesday January 25 by 10:00 a.m.**



Confirmation Session #1

Sunday, January 23rd at 12:00 pm.

Ministry Schedule January 22 & 23, 2022

Saturday, January 22 at 5:00 pm

Sacristan - Sue Tieken

EMHC 's - Jackie Dent, Pam Ziliak

Altar Servers - Kaylynn Jones, David Theriac & Edan Wilson

Lector 1 - Kari Akin

Lector 2 - John Wible

Ushers - Jack & Phyllis Corn

Sunday, January 23 at 9:00 am

Sacristan - Rose Sartore

EMHC's - Greg Freeman, Anne Martin,

Doug Rasler & Chris Sartore

Altar Servers - Vinny Catanese, Izzy Kast & Adalynn Schofield

Lector 1 - Eric Beshears

Lector 2 - Jerry Schapker

Ushers - Keith & Lisa Reising



Flame of Love Books

Please leave in the back of church any used Flame of Love books not needed.

Thank you.



Over the last weeks we've had several of our parishioners whose family members have died. This is never an easy thing whether it was those who were older and passed after a long decline or others who passed suddenly. As I've talked with these parishioners, some have shared how their family members have been or not been prepared as far as funeral plans. There is certainly much to figure out at that time of a death but some of that is lessened if a person has preplanned.

As I was considering this, I started thinking even more about the *real preplanning* that each of us needs to be focused on beyond the important funeral preplanning, which is certainly helpful. The *real preplanning* happens in our relationship with others and with God. We will never know how or when God will call us to Himself in death. If He would call you to Himself today, would you feel like you had *preplanned* well? Would you feel like you had grown in virtue working on those areas of life where you knew you were weak or had continued to fall into sin? Could forgiveness and God's grace to heal and love better be better found in the sacrament of Reconciliation? Would you feel that you've been as generous to others as you'd like to be or was that always something for later? Could you give a little more time and financially to those who need it? Would you feel that the relationships you've had with others are where you'd like them to be? If not, what could you do on your side of things to help heal them? ...realizing of course that we can only do what we can from our side of the relationship. Would you feel that your relationship with God is where you'd like it to be? It's easy to put off praying or taking time with Him in the busyness of life...there's always other things that *just have to get done*. Are those things really the most important and will taking time for Him really take away from those other things? Or would prayer instead really help us with all of those other things we *just have to get done*?

My brothers and sisters as we start this new year, I'm sure you may have already fallen short of your New Year's resolutions. I'd like to suggest that maybe we need to look more closely at *preplanning*. Certainly funeral preplanning is a beautiful gift to give to family who will be in the midst of grief at the time of your death. But the more beautiful gift is *really preplanning* for our life of grace with God in eternity. Are we working towards those things in this life to truly be prepared for the eternal life God has *preplanned* for us? Let us turn to Him and find something greater than we might ever imagine...in the future but even in the here and now.

God Bless,

Fr. Jason Gries



LoveEd

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LoveEd helps parishes and schools empower parents to teach both the theology and science of human sexuality within the context of God's plan for love and life. It helps young people discover the beauty and the purpose of their sexuality, which is fully articulated in Catholic teaching. *LoveEd* doesn't just teach the facts of life, but the meaning of life.

Sundays at 6:00 pm February 6th, 20th & 27th.

Meet in Cafeteria

For more information contact:

jimandamyschroeder@gmail.com or 812-423-6797

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With Deepest Sympathy

Please remember in your prayers the souls of all the recently departed of our Parish Family. May God grant peace & comfort during this difficult time.

Mary Ann Harl, mother of Kathy Allen, passed away on January 8.

"Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matthew 5:4



Prayers for those Parishioners in the hospital, recovering from illness or surgery.

*Larry Osborne, JoAnn Schoenstein,
Katie Clark, Ken Jarvis,
Kimberle Schnarre,
Paul Wright, Bill Hoffman,
Rose Ann Barth, Joe Wicks, Lily Harris and Mary Mayer.*



Inclement Weather Policy

If school is cancelled there will be no morning Mass. The parish office will also be closed and Adoration will be cancelled. Wednesday evening Mass will be decided on & posted on the parish website by 4 pm. If the school is on a delay, there will be no morning Mass. The office will be on a one hour delay and Adoration will not start until 10:00am. If the inclement weather happens on Saturday or Sunday, conditions will be assessed and a decision made about adoration. An email will be sent out to all adorers and the scheduled adorers that will be affected will be notified. Weekend Masses will happen as scheduled unless another decision is communicated via the website and other means. Religious Education classes will follow any decision made about Sunday morning Mass.



JANUARY 21, 2022 5:30PM

Mass for Life

followed by

HOLY HOUR VIGIL

*Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev.
Joseph M. Siegel*

MASS WILL BE LIVESTREAMED

<https://www.youtube.com/c/CatholicDioceseofEvansvilleIndiana>

AND ON ST. BENEDICT CATHEDRAL FB PAGE

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Holy Redeemer Parish Community Involvement Commission Annual Winter Wear Drive Through January 30, 2022

Holy Redeemer Church will once again be collecting new and gently used coats, hats, mittens, gloves, and scarves in all sizes. No other clothing items accepted.

Please launder before dropping off if possible. Collection boxes will be marked and placed in the church entrances, parish office, and school office. Adult items will be donated to the United Caring Shelter.

Children's and young adult items will be donated to Hangers.

Please note: The drive will only last for 6 weeks this year from December 18, 2021 to January 30, 2022.

Please contact the parish office or Amy Daunhauer

(812-867-0358) with questions or to offer help.



Have you or someone you know suffered the devastating loss of a loved one? Are you trying to make sense of your feelings? **GriefShare** might be

a way for you to share those thoughts/feelings or just time away to sit and reflect with others who truly understand what you're going through. Our group welcomes all faiths and meets on Tuesday evenings from 6-8 pm in the Church conference room at Good Shepherd Parish. There is no fee to attend and no pre-registration required -just attend the first meeting. Should you have any questions, **contact Sue Kroupa at 812-449-3740 or email skroupa@evdio.org.**

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Men's & Women's Study Groups



Mondays – Men's Group via Zoom

Join Deacon Tom and other men of the parish as they study *In Heaven We'll Meet Again, The Saints and Scripture on our Heavenly Reunion* by Francois Rene Blot starting **January 24th at 10 am**. Are loved ones reunited in Heaven? The saints say, "Absolutely!" For more information about this study contact Deacon Tom Cervone at tcervone@evdio.org or the parish office at 812-424-8344.



Tuesdays – Women's Group

The Tuesday morning Women's Study group will be studying *Oremus: A Guide to Catholic Prayer* by Fr. Mark Toups beginning **January 18th at 9am**. Join other women of the parish as they learn the essentials to an effective and fruitful prayer life. Babysitting provided. For more information about this study or to order a book, contact Anne Martin at asmartin@evdio.org or 812-424-8344.



Thursdays – Women's Group

Join other women of the parish as they come together to watch and discuss the television series *The Chosen* at **6:30 pm** on Thursday evenings. Get to better know Jesus Christ as the gospel comes to life before your eyes. The beauty of this study is that there is no book or homework involved! For more information about this study, contact Anne Martin at asmartin@evdio.org or 812-424-8344.



Sundays - Women's Group

The Bible Timeline: The Story of Salvation starting **January 16th**. This is a study comprised of reading scripture, completing the workbook, and watching videos during class. You don't have to be a member of Holy Redeemer- all women are welcome! I'm looking forward to doing this study a second time. It was meaningful and thought provoking!

If you are interested. You can either order the book online through Ascensionpress.com and get access to the videos online for a year or order the book through Holy Redeemer. Contact Anne Martin in the Parish Office. 812-424-8344.

We will meet Sundays at 10:15am to 11:30am.

Youth Ministry Upcoming Events

Jr. High



Cake Boss

January 29th (Saturday 6:00 - 8:00 pm)

Are you "The Boss" of decorating cakes??? Come test your abilities to design, create, & decorate in this team challenge. Baked cakes provided with some decorating supplies. Please bring extra decorating supplies to help with your team's creation! Decorated cakes will be donated to the United Caring Shelter.



Café

Christo PM
Wednesday,
January
19th
2:30pm

High School



January 24th - Veritas
(Monday 6:30-8:00 pm)

Real talk about what matters most to Teens.



Jan. 30th - "Nug Nug" Night
(Sunday 6:00-8:30 pm)

Nothing says High School Youth Group like "Nug Nugs"! What's your sauce? (BBQ, Hot, Ranch Honey Mustard).

Open Adoration Chapel Hours

Please pray over these open hours and consider spending an hour a week with our Lord.

- Sundays** - 2am, 3am, 4am,
- Mondays** - 2am, 4am
- Tuesdays** - 2am, 3am
- Wednesdays** - 4am
- Thursdays** - 1pm
- Fridays** - 2am, 10pm
- Saturdays** - 2am, 4am, 5am, 11am, 5pm, 7pm, 8pm

To register for an hour please contact:
Don Gries - (812) 453-9498
 donwgries@gmail.com
Marianne Webster - (812) 319-8513
 mariannewebster3@gmail.com



Nuts Still Available for Sale

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You can place an order ahead and I will call when it has been filled. It can be picked up in the parish office or at any mass where I am present. I will be able to do direct sales after masses, but I cannot promise I will be at all masses due to other obligations.

You can order by TEXTING ME at 812-483-7492 or by calling the parish office.
 Sorry for the inconvenience.
 Mary Rasler

2022 Women's Retreat • February 11-13
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Register online at www.holyredeemerchurch.org or return form to the parish office.
 Registration is open now to Holy Redeemer and St. Peter (Montgomery) women. Beginning January 9th, registration will be open to women from all parishes until February 4th.

Cost per person
 \$215 single occupant room
 \$140 double occupant room
 *price includes room for the weekend and meals for Saturday and Sunday.

For more information:
 Emily Hamilton
 (812)499-9521 • ehamilton614@gmail.com

Women's Retreat 2022

February 11th-13th
 Registration forms in the Narthex & online.
 See our website for further information & details.

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