

St. Rita Catholic Church

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY SUNDAY

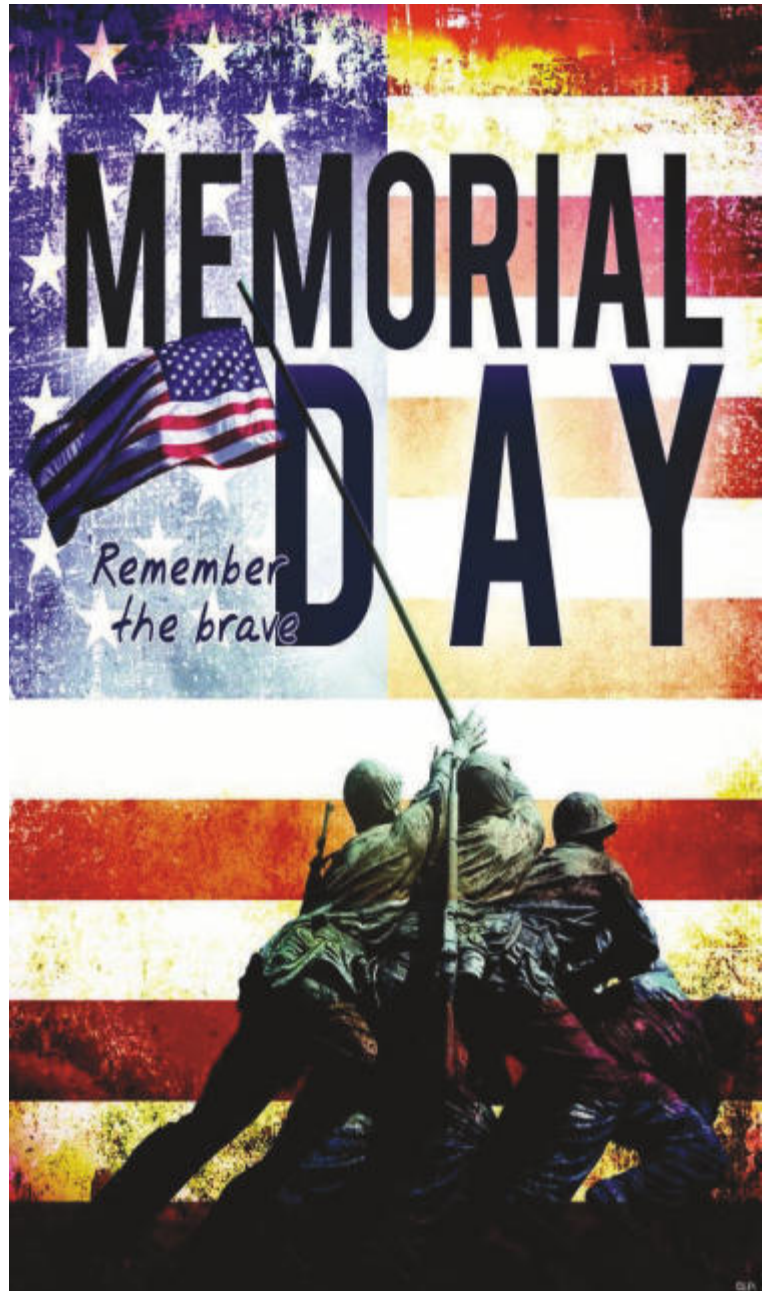
St. Rita Catholic Church Mission Statement

We the parish of St. Rita, a Catholic Community of Faith are called by the risen Lord to love God the Father We believe that Ministry is the Power of the Holy Spirit, therefore, we encourage, support and provide opportunities, so that everyone may participate in and be recipients of the Church's Mission Ministry. We aspire to deepen our understanding of Christ's Good News and to Serve our neighbor of the Gospel. We realize the necessity and accept the responsibility to work for justice and human dignity. We realize the necessity and accept the responsibility of supporting ourselves as a parish. We invite everyone to join in celebrating and witnessing the presence of the risen Lord among us.

Parish Office Hours	Mon-Thur 9:00am—4:30 pm
Rectory Telephone Number	317-632-9349
Parish Life Coordinator	Sister Gail Trippett, CSJ
Deacon	Deacon Oliver Jackson
DRE/ Youth Director	Anita Bardo
Administrative Assistant	Denise Gavia-Currin
Bookkeeper	Angela Guynn
Music Director	Phyllis Walker
Activity Coordinator	Vivian Hill
Parish Council Chair	Kerry Conwell
Finance Council Chair	Sharon Edwards
Management & Operations	Marty Ray

Mass Schedule:

Saturday Vigil 6:00 pm	Sunday 11:00 am
Weekday Mass Schedule: Tuesday and Thursday 11:00 am	
Holy Day Masses will be announced	
Baptism by Appointment	
St. Rita Church Website	www.stritaindy.church
St. Rita Secretary Email	stritasecretary71@yahoo.com



We are the Hands of Christ through our Outreach Ministries

Keep Indiana Beautiful (KIB)

Tree planting in the neighborhood

Changing Lives Forever

Breaking the Cycle of Poverty Next session TBA (18 sessions)

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Utility, furniture and food assistance

Special collection - Every 5th Sunday

ST. RITA CHURCH INFORMATION

Weddings

Engaged couples must contact the Parish Life Coordinator no later than six months prior to the actual wedding day: This Archdiocesan regulation is to allow sufficient time for the couple to make adequate preparation to receive the sacrament.

Sick Calls

Anytime - notify the priest. In case of hospital emergency, ask a nurse to call the chaplain or St. Rita Parish at 317-632-9349.

Death Funerals

Please contact the Parish Life Coordinator, Sister Gail Trippett CSJ, immediately to arrange services.

Religious Education

Please call the Rectory or Anita Bardo

New Parishioners

Kindly register at the Rectory upon arrival.

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 9:00 a.m (1) week prior to publication.

Send email to: stritasecretary71@yahoo.com

Pope Francis Quote: "God teaches each of us how to nurture fidelity "in the light of God's own faithfulness." This fidelity is the secret of joy," "It's the joy of simplicity, the joy experienced daily by those who care for what truly matters: faithful closeness to God and to our neighbor."

Dispensation Lifted for not attending Mass:

As of June 12th and June 13th all Catholic are receiving the call to return to in-person attendance to Mass. Since so many have been vaccinated and the virus counts have dramatically dropped, we are free to regain the special graces that come from in-person attendance during Mass. We will continue to wear masks through the month of July. After July 31st mask wearing will be based upon your personal comfort level and vaccinated status.

The following people are covered under previous dispensations:

- Those who are seriously ill, exhibit flu-like symptoms and /or may have a contagious disease (including quarantine due to exposure).
- Those who are unable to attend Mass through no fault of their own (e.g. transportation issue).
- Those who are homebound and /or incapacitated due to age, infirmity and/or medical restrictions.
- Those who have compromised health conditions and/or medical restrictions.
- Those who have compromised health conditions and/or at high risk of contracting virus.
- Those who are caretakers of person who are sick or of persons at high-risk of serious illness if they contact Covid virus

MASS INTENTIONS

11:00 am	Sunday	May 30	Father Joe
Happy Birthday Blessings Sister Gail Trippett,CSJ			
No Mass	Monday	May 31	
11:00 am	Tuesday	June 1	Father Andy
No Mass	Wednesday	June 2	
11:00 am	Thursday	June 3	Father Joe
No Mass	Friday	June 4	
6:00 pm	Saturday	June 5	Father Andy
For The People			

PANDEMIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Presider	Father Andy Syberg
Lector	Phyllis Carr
Cantor	Phyllis Walker/choir
Extraordinary Minister	Father Andy Syberg

ST. RITA COVID RELIEF RAFFLE

Each month the Raffle committee will sell **50 Books** of 50-50 tickets, (\$1.00 per ticket or \$5.00 a Book) A \$25.00 Drawing will be held on the last Sunday of each month. \$25.00 to the winner and the church. The \$200.00 balance will accumulate until the final drawing on December 26, 2021. You do not need to be present to win. Contact Phyllis Carr, Georgia Clark, Anita Bardo, Kerry Conwell, Gail Guynn, Denise Morrow, Lisa Saunders, Linda Johnson, Toni Hatcher or Jane Cooley. License#011313)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY SISTER GAIL TRIPPETT, CSJ

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR US AT ST. RITA CATHOLIC CHURCH AND HOLY ANGLES. MANY MORE BLESSINGS TO COME!
THANK YOU!

MAY 2021/ BIRTHDAYS

1-Irene Patton	29-Tina Barber
3-Benjamin Hidalgo	31-Hazel Beard
10-Dollie Smith	31-Iesha Vitalis
16-Sister Veronica	
18-Julia Guynn	
18-Nannette Blair	
18-Michael Joseph	
19-Elmetra Scheck	
20-Olivia Phillips	
26-Sister Gail Trippett	
26-John Laners	
26-Caleb Legg	
27-Ashlee Wyatt	

FIRST FRUITS AND PARISH SUSTAINABILITY

May 22 & 23, 2021

National Collections:

St. Vincent de Paul \$75.00

Special Collections (Placed in ADLF)

Tuck Pointing \$195.00

Bell Tower \$425.00

Heat Pump \$200.00

Church Budget Collections

1st Collection/Ascension 1,323.00

2nd Collection 64.00

Donations 605.00

Building & Maintenance 150.00

TOTAL BUDGET COLLECTED: \$2,142.00

WEEKLY BUDGET: \$6,247.00

SHORTFALL/BUDGET (-\$4,105.00)

Support our Parish: Smile.Amazon.com-Select St. Rita as your charity of choice. SCRIP Program coming soon.

Special Collection: Education of Future Archdiocesan Priests-May 30th.

Blessings Come Down: Call our Prayer line and leave the names of those in the hospital, sick, or names of those who have returned to the Lord. (317) 632-9349. Please let the office know if there are names to be deleted due to healing or transitioning to new life.

Parish Council Nominations: We are once again accepting nominations for the parish council. Nominees must be an active member in good standing of the parish and 18 years of or older. Nomination forms can be found in the newsflash, parish office and names emailed to Phyllis Carr at phyllis5115@net.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE:

Tuesday: St. Rita Parish Council , 6:00 PM

Reflection from Sister Gail

The readings are beautiful this week. They graciously remind us of how much God loves us and how easily we forget that love, or take it for granted. The Israelites are reminded that they were given a rare gift from God. He lifted them out of bondage and placed them in a new land. They were instructed to not forget the great work God had done, by simply keeping His commandments.

We have that same call. We are a walking miracle, just by our life. When we start adding up all of the blessings received during every day of life, one is hard pressed to determine why God can be taken for granted. Every action is a sign of whether blessings are remembered or not at the forefront of your consciousness. Each word is a verbal sign of whether God is remembered or forgotten.

Have you been blessed in your life? If so, how are you passing on the blessings? If so, how is your life a living witness to your reverence for God?

Calendar Raffle Winners

Sue Whittaker, \$25, 5/25, #522

Daryl & Stephanie Whitley, \$25, 5/25, #301

Teresa Knox, \$25, 5/27, #843

Beth Drista, \$50, 5/28, #620

ST. RITA PARISHIONER PRAYER LIST

Please remember to pray for the sick and shut in:

Shaun Currin, Mary White, Gary Franklin, Samson Olarewaju, Dewayne Keeylen, Adrian Johnson, Kerry Conwell, Mya Davis, Baby Makayla Owens, Baby D.J. Matthews, Angela Jones, Sallie Fields, Hazel Beard, Jhana Hayes, Clois Jenkins, Frank Ray, Goldene Carter, Maria Amos, Ann Ray, Carol & Carman Dearman, Niikita Liggins, Mel & Minnie Blaylock, Fr. Andy Syberg, Msgr. Tony Volz, Fr. Justin DuVall, Fr. Joe Moriarty & family, Martha Riley, Tina Barber & family, Joann Combs, Bruce Ray, Eddie Carr, Rosemary Lee, Glorianne Messer, Cecelia Wisdom, Benjamin & Erma Hidalgo, Ann Ray, Rosemary Wade, Debra Hardin, David Boone, Linda Johnson, Gwen White, Rita Williams, Mary Agnes Brown

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