



# SAINT LOUIS de MONTFORT

## Catholic Church & School

*A Pastorate of the Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana*

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*April 4, 2021—Easter Sunday*

### **From the Desk of Father Haan...**

## **CALL IT A COMEBACK**

There are plenty of stories of sports fans leaving stadiums while their team was getting blown out, only to learn later (to their eternal regret) they missed an epic comeback and missed the entire drama unfold. Some would describe them as fair-weather fans, others might claim they were being smart in trying to beat traffic. But in the minds of those fans, when all hope is lost, what's the point of sticking around? Unfortunately, their poor choice results in an inability to truly rejoice in the victory, no matter how miraculous.



I think this is the dynamic at play for the two disciples heading for Emmaus a couple of days after the public execution of Jesus of Nazareth (see Luke 24:13-35). Just when they had gotten their hopes up, those hopes were dashed and nailed to a cross for all to see. There was no use sticking around Jerusalem, so the disillusioned disciples skipped town early. In some ways, I don't blame them.

Some days it is quite easy to sympathize with the two disciples heading to Emmaus. We have to look hard for signs of hope in the world we are living in. Because of disrupted routines and pandemic fears, for many people spiritual distance has caused spiritual apathy, atrophy, and discouragement. Many marriages and families experience division and young people face depression and social isolation like never before. Racial tension endures and the woke culture continues its cancel rampage. Time to skip town?

But in the narrative of the Road to Emmaus, it is the Risen Christ (on the very day of His Resurrection!) who pursues the disciples, walking alongside them and explaining the Scriptures to them. Had they understood the Scriptures properly, they would have seen that Christ's death was foretold and necessary, and that sin and death would not have the final word. Precisely through His death and resurrection, Jesus is victorious. There is cause for jubilation, and after having their eyes opened through the "breaking of the bread" (blatant Eucharistic reference) and admitting their burning hearts, they head back for Jerusalem, rejoicing in the victory.

At Easter Mass, the Easter Sequence is chanted (called the *Victimae Paschali Laudes*.) In it, we hear "Mors et vita duello, conflixere mirando: dux vitae mortuus, regnat vivus." "Death and life have contended in that combat stupendous: The Prince of life, who died, reigns immortal." When the intense contest for victory looked bleak, it was Christ who pulled the ultimate surprise and won for all eternity. With this knowledge, if we ever choose against Jesus Christ, we are rooting for a losing team, even if they are up by double digits. We know who wins the "combat stupendous," so why do we ever waver? Why do we ever grow disinterested or disillusioned or discouraged? And if we do, we are reminded we have a Redeemer that is willing to chase after us, walk alongside us, and correct our route. As you know, we are not "fans" of Jesus, but rather children of God, "and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ, if only we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him" (Romans 8:17). His victory is our victory. We are co-heirs and co-victors!

Easter Sunday is a day we remember that hope is never lost. All reasons for giving up or giving in have been destroyed. Sin and death will never have the last word.

A joyful Easter to each of you and your families, this day of Eternal Victory!

Under the Mercy,  
Father Haan

# SAINT LOUIS DE MONTFORT CATHOLIC CHURCH



## Mass Schedule

### Weekend

Saturday (Vigil) | 5:00pm

Sunday | 7:30 am (Designated for those vulnerable and at higher risk), 9:00am, 11:30am & 5:00pm

**Knights of Columbus will lead the rosary in the Church 25 minutes before each weekend Mass.**

### Weekday

Monday-Saturday | 8:00am

Tuesday & Thursday | 6:00pm

Friday | 8:00am and Noon

## Holy Days of Obligation

January 1 | Mary, Mother of God

August 15 | Assumption of Mary

November 1 | All Saints Day

December 8 | The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

December 25 | Nativity of the Lord

Watch bulletin for times.

## Reconciliation

Tuesdays and Thursdays | 5-5:50pm

Saturday | Following the 8am Mass

Or by appointment

*Pastor, Fr. Thomas Haan*

*Associate Pastor, Fr. Sean Aaron*

## Parish Hours/Office Info

Monday-Friday | 8:00am-5:00pm

(Closed Noon-1pm for Lunch)

OFFICE CLOSED WEEKENDS

Parish Office Number: 317-842-6778

Fax Number: 317-576-1932

**Emergency Number to reach Priests:**

317-967-2443

## New Parishioners

*Our warmest welcome to all who worship with our parish family, whether long-time resident or new visitor to our parish. If you are interested in registering at St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Church, you may do so on our website ([www.sldmfishers.org](http://www.sldmfishers.org)) or at the parish office.*

## Parish Mission Statement

Love God | Make Disciples | Serve Christ in the World

## Parish Vision Statement

St. Louis de Montfort will be a dynamic witness of the Gospel and lead others to embrace the love of God.

## Saint Louis-Marie Grignon de Montfort

1673-1716

Feast day: April 28

“To Jesus through Mary”

Most Recent Updates for Returning to Worship at St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Church



**We are so grateful for the opportunity to celebrate ALL Masses publicly again even though we know Mass will feel different. Our goal is to keep our parishioners safe during these trying times.**

**PLEASE NOTE: THE BISHOPS ACROSS ALL FIVE INDIANA DIOCESES HAVE EXTENDED THE DISPENSATION FROM THE OBLIGATION OF SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

Everyone must carefully discern the best decision for themselves and their families. If you have a fever, cough, runny nose, or have been exposed to someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, please, in consideration of others, watch the livestreamed Mass from home at [facebook.com/sldmfishers](https://www.facebook.com/sldmfishers).

**INDIANA'S STATEWIDE MASK MANDATE IS IN EFFECT, THEREFORE, MASKS ARE REQUIRED AT ALL MASSES.**



## We are filled with Hope – Our Stewardship Renewal

Thank you to all parishioners who have completed and submitted their yearly commitment pledge to our parish. Your generosity will go a long way in helping us budget and prepare for the coming year.

We are filled with hope this coming year as we plan for a world that is not so fragmented and isolated but rather we are dreaming of ways to bring the saving Truth of Jesus Christ and His Church to every soul in the Fishers area and beyond.

If you haven't yet had a chance we encourage all parishioners to do so now, so we can plan our programs this year. You can fill out a card and mail, drop-off at the office or place in the weekend offertory basket or pledge online at our website [www.sldmfishers.org](http://www.sldmfishers.org) (our website is also the place to set-up easy electronic giving for offertory gifts). Again, we appreciate all parishioners who took the time to discern and have made an offering to God as we build His Kingdom here on earth.



**Saturday, April 3, 2021**

**8:15 pm** † Larita Stephanak,  
requested by the Stephanak Family

**Sunday, April 4, 2021**

**7:30 am (CHURCH)** † Rosie & Ed Noonan,  
requested by Ken & Alicia Noonan

**9:00 am (GYM)** † Dorothy Indiano,  
requested by SLDM CRHP Team 35

**9:30 am (CHURCH)** † Paul Henkel,  
requested by the Henkel Family

**11:00 am (GYM)** † Ida & Joe Bonofiglio,  
requested by the Anthony Family

**11:30 am (CHURCH)** † Evan Thoennes, requested by  
Gordon & Cindy Thoennes, Sara, Dan, & Isaac Cline

**5:00 pm (CHURCH)** For the People of the Parish

**Monday, April 5, 2021**

**8:00 am** No Mass

**Tuesday, April 6, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Thomas & Patricia Quinn,  
requested by the Quinn Family

**6:00 pm** † Maryellen Bein, requested by Joe & Elizabeth Kalil

**Wednesday, April 7, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Michael Galvin, requested by Breda Barnes

**Thursday, April 8, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Evan Thoennes, requested by Gordon & Cindy  
Thoennes, Sara, Dan & Isaac Cline

**6:00 pm** † Ligia Rios, requested by Bob Rogers & Family

**Friday, April 9, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Evan Thoennes, requested by Gordon &  
Cindy Thoennes, Sara, Dan, & Isaac Cline

**12:00 pm** † Olga Vitto de Rangel,  
requested by Lorena Saray Gonzalez Parra

**Saturday, April 10, 2021**

**8:00 am** † Evan Thoennes, requested by Gordon & Cindy  
Thoennes, Sara, Dan, & Isaac Cline

**5:00 pm** Audra Miller, requested by Camille Murrell

**Sunday, April 11, 2021**

**7:30 am** † Mike Gullett, requested by Kerry Zerla

**9:00 am** † Dorothy Indiano

**11:30 am** † Dianne Huddleson,  
requested by the Delaney Family

**5:00 pm** For the People of the Parish

Mass Intentions are available. Stipend is \$10.

**Please see the receptionist in the parish office.**

Note: we are currently scheduling through July.



**Please Note that Incense Will Be Used  
At The Following Masses:**

April 18<sup>th</sup> – 9:00am

April 25<sup>th</sup> – 11:30am



***Please Pray for the Repose of the Soul of:***

Bernadine Joan Wampler

***Do you have a special prayer request?  
The community at SLDM is here to pray for  
you. Please submit the prayer request online  
at sldmfishers.org, or write it in the prayer in-  
tention book in the Narthex.***

**Readings for the Week of April 4, 2021**

Sunday: Acts 10:34, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23/Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Mk 16:1-7 or Lk 24:13-35

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

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-9/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2, 5, 6-7, 8-9 [2ab]/Lk 24:35-48

Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2, 4, 22-27 [22]/Jn 21:1-14

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

Next Sunday: Acts 4:32-35/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/  
1 Jn 5:1-6/Jn 20:19-3

**PERPETUAL LIVING ROSARY  
NEEDS PEOPLE TO PRAY**

Join fellow parishioners and say one decade of the rosary each day, at any time and any place, so as a whole our parish is offering many rosaries in prayer per day. Parishioners are assigned a specific decade and mystery for each day, so a complete rosary is said among 5 people. Sign up as a family or individual volunteer - our hope is to have 40 rosaries offered in prayer each day! Contact Jamie Anderson for more details at jamied.anderson10@gmail.com.

Hours Needing Adorers*					
Sunday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday	
8-9AM	10-11AM	1-2AM	2-3AM	3-4PM	
(2nd, 3rd wks)		2-3AM	9-10PM	5-6PM	
6-7PM		(1st, 3rd, 5th wks)			
(1st and 3rd wks)					

*\*Hours available are subject to change*

If you have a prayer request and would like people in Eucharistic Adoration to pray for you, please enter your request on the parish website home page and we will post in the entryway to the Adoration Chapel.

If you have any questions, please call Jeff Oelker at the parish office.

# SERVICE

## Stewardship: Time, Talent & Treasure

### Total Mass Attendance

For the weekend of March 21, 2021.....1,246

### Saint Louis de Montfort Tithe (10%

of weekly basket collections)  
This Month's Tithe: Parish Mission, Catholic Relief Services, Feeding Noblesville Seniors, Rita's Hope

Last Month, Each Recipient Received \$ 4,523.00  
Fiscal Year Total For All Tithes \$ 142,671.00

Donate  
Online



PLEASE  
CONSIDER  
GIVING ONLINE  
Our parish is  
grateful for your  
continued support.

Set up online giving at:  
[www.osvonlinegiving.com/131](http://www.osvonlinegiving.com/131)  
or mail in your check to the Parish Office.  
Thank you!

**HEARTS ON FIRE**  
"I have come to set the world on fire"  
Luke 12:49

CATHOLIC  
MINISTRIES  
APPEAL

Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana  
[www.dol-in.org](http://www.dol-in.org)  
September 2020 - December 2021

If you have not yet made a pledge to the Catholic Ministries Appeal (formerly Fruitful Harvest), we've sent a second request letter for your consideration. Enclosed will be examples of the many ministries supported by this important appeal, as well as a pledge card with return envelope to mail your gift in or you can return it to the weekend collection basket in the Narthex before Mass. By giving to

the Catholic Ministries Appeal, you are helping to support programs for our retired priests as well as new seminarians, for our youth, college Newman Centers, deacons, prison ministry, pregnancy centers and so much more. I encourage you to study the information in his mailing and to prayerfully consider giving generously with a gift of \$50.00/month over the next 10 months (March 2021 until December 2021). A \$500.00 gift from all parishioners who are able would help us reach our goal but no amount is too small. We currently are at 65% of our parish goal and your support is needed and appreciated. For all those who have made a pledge, thank you.  
For further information about this appeal contact Fr. Haan, Fr. Sean, lay leader Matt Tucco or Scott Bernhardt. And again, thank you for being part of our parish community and all the support you provide.

## FINANCIAL UPDATE

	03/21/21	Fiscal YTD
Weekly parishioner envelopes	\$ 15,893	\$ 689,470
Online Donations	\$ 30,066	\$ 860,844
Visitor envelopes & loose cash	\$ 808	\$ 31,660
Total collected (before parish tithe)	\$ 46,767	\$ 1,581,974
YTD Budget		\$(1,519,000)
YTD Budget Surplus or (Deficit)		\$ 62,974

## FUND DONATIONS

Donations to the SLDM Educational Foundation Endowment Fund can be mailed to: **SLDM Accounting • P.O. Box 30 • Fishers, IN 46038**. Checks should be made payable to St. Louis de Montfort, and the memo or an included note should specify the Education Endowment Fund. Please contact our office if you have any questions at 317-842-6778. Please remember the School Annual Fund in your year-end giving! Our goal is \$150,000 to meet the most critical needs of our school. You may contact Maggie Fox (mfox@sldmfishers.org) with any questions.

## The next meeting of St. Anne's Guild will be Friday, April 9th following 12 Noon Mass.

This will be a catered lunch.  
For reservations and more information, please contact Beverly or Tom Otey - 317-770-9813.



## Cardinal 50/50 Drawings

No winner was drawn for the weeks of March 21st.

The number drawn was 4597.

The amount in the rollover jackpot is \$5,080.00  
All registered parishioners may enter the weekly drawing by putting \$5.00 in the Cardinal 50/50 envelope from your monthly packet or the 50/50 envelopes found in the Narthex. All proceeds from the 50/50 go to our parish school fund.



The Department of Defense commemorating the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Vietnam War wants to recognize, thank and honor United States military veterans who served during the Vietnam War.

Congress has authorized a special certificate and pin for each living veteran who served at any time on active duty in the US Armed Forces, regardless of location during the Vietnam War era.  
To find out more about this recognition please contact St. Louis de Montfort parishioner Al Kozimor at akozimor@hotmail.com . And on behalf of the entire parish we thank all military veterans for their service to our country.



## The Holy Spirit

### Day Retreat on the Holy Spirit

**When: May 22nd 8AM to 3PM**

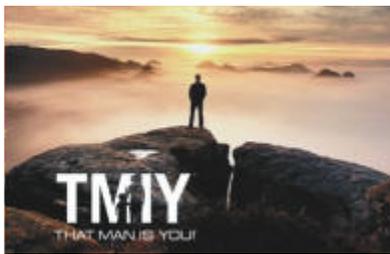
**Where:** We will begin in the Church at SLDM and then move to the Youth Ministry Center

**What:** This is a day to find out more about who the Holy Spirit, who He is, what He does in our lives and discovering the gifts that you received through the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Confirmation.

<https://www.sldmfishers.org/day-retreats>

The cost is \$25 per person.

The SLDM Father's Ministry meets regularly throughout the school year and follows the school calendar. This ministry is for fathers and men of the parish who are interested in becoming better fathers, husbands, and disciples of Jesus. The Father's Ministry is about accountability and commitment to relationship goals and spiritual growth. The ministry is about action, not merely inspiration.



There are 3 options for Father's Ministry this Fall:

- Fridays-6:03-7:30am - In person - All Saints Rm, Ministry Center
- Fridays - 6:03 - 7:30 am - Virtual - via Zoom meeting - use register link to sign up and receive meeting link
- Wednesdays-7-8:30pm-In Person-Merton Rm, church basement

**Register today at: <https://sldmfishers.org/fathers-ministry>**

### **M.O.M.S. (Moms Offering Moms Support)**

**If you're a mom, come join us!**

We have meetings for every schedule. Our Thursday morning meetings are the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month from 10-11:30AM. Our Saturday morning meeting is the 2nd Saturday of the month from 8-9AM. Our evening Tuesday meeting is the second Tuesday of the month at 8PM. For location and additional information please contact Nicki Burnette at [nickiruppe@gmail.com](mailto:nickiruppe@gmail.com). We can't wait to see you there!



Keegan Berndsen  
 Angela Betner  
 Jack Betner  
 Nathan Betner  
 Filip Bruvold  
 Georgi Bruvold

Miro Bruvold  
 Jim Crossetti  
 Bret Henderson  
 Brian Hoaglan  
 Adrian Jones  
 Julia Tinsley

# FAITH FORMATION



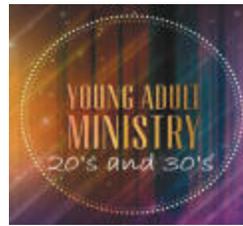
*Through the waters of Baptism, we welcome to our faith community:*

Genevieve Rose Gorgol



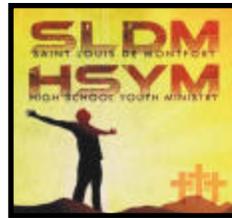
**VBS 2021**  
**Rocky Railway**  
June 21st - 25th  
9am - 11am

**REGISTRATION OPENS APRIL 1st!**  
Visit the parish website for more information, or register here:  
<http://vbspro.events/p/sldm2021>



Young Adult Ministry is now meeting back on campus on Thursday evenings @ 7pm in the Youth Ministry Center. We are following our parish guidelines for protocols taken during the Covid-19 pandemic.

If you have any questions, please contact Reid Leazier at [rlazier@sldmfishers.org](mailto:rlazier@sldmfishers.org) or 317-842-6778 x 232  
[Instagram@sldmyoungadults](https://www.instagram.com/sldmyoungadults)  
[Facebook@Sldm Young Adults](https://www.facebook.com/SldmYoungAdults)



High School Ministry small groups are meeting in person again!  
**Register for High School by visiting our website:**

<https://www.sldmfishers.org/encounter>

**DOW is also meeting in person again on Sundays from 7:15pm-8:15pm in the Narthex.**

Contact Gretchen Scott for details at [Gretchen@schott.bz](mailto:Gretchen@schott.bz)



**We have two options for students participating in our ministry this year:**

Hybrid model (1 week on campus and 1 week at home) or the family catechesis model (for those staying at home). Please see the website for our student ministry Covid-19 precautions and plans, registration form, and our calendar for the 2020-2021 year.

Contact information:  
Reid Leazier at [rlazier@sldmfishers.org](mailto:rlazier@sldmfishers.org) or 317-842-6778 x 232  
You can also follow us on Instagram @sldmjhym

# A DIFFERENT KIND OF CAMP

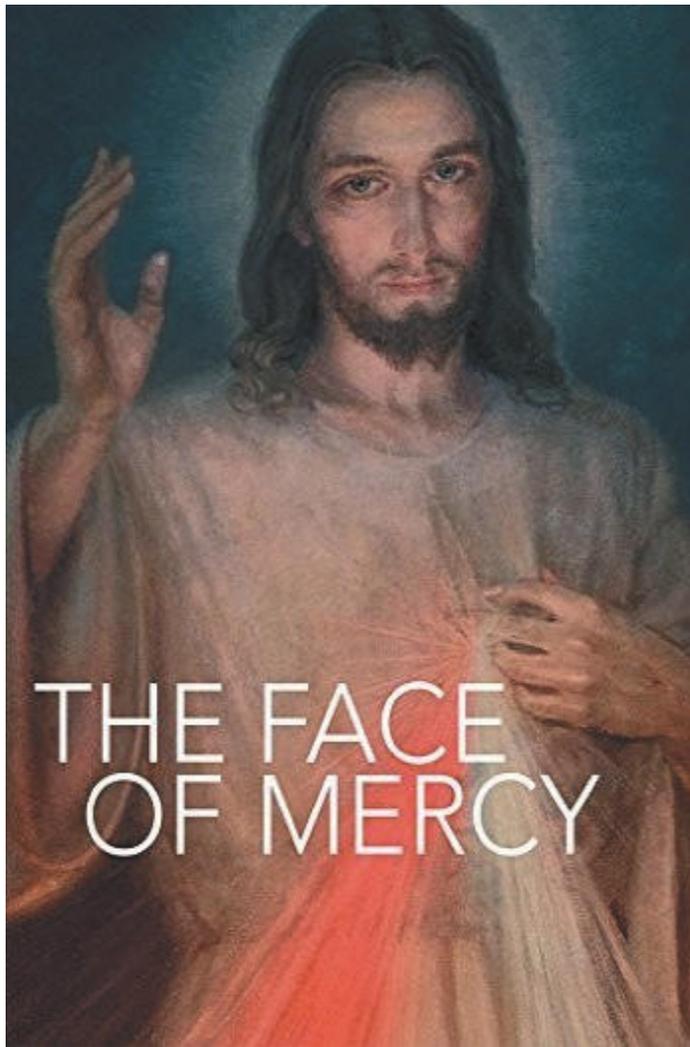
ENCOUNTER GOD THROUGH PRAYER, FRIENDSHIP, AND OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

**GIRLS: JUNE 21 - 24, 2021**  
**BOYS: JULY 12 - 15, 2021**  
(Entering 6th-8th Grade)

**OAKBROOK VALLEY**  
RUSSIAVILLE • INDIANA

REGISTRATION OPENS: MARCH 24  
Secure your spot online at [dol-in.org/campcrux](http://dol-in.org/campcrux)





## Divine Mercy Sunday Movie Sunday, April 11 at 4:00pm

Pope Francis has inspired millions by urging the world to embrace Mercy. The essence of this call is revealed in The Face of Mercy, an extraordinary new documentary film narrated by Jim Caviezel.

Watch its story unfold, from St. Faustina's powerful visions of a merciful God, to her countryman Pope John Paul II who propelled the message of Divine Mercy onto the world stage. Meet: the woman who found freedom in forgiveness after seeing her family wiped out by genocide; the former-NFL linebacker who walked away from football to share Christ's mercy with the homeless; the baseball player who traded MLB ambitions for the monastery; and the young widow who chose mercy towards her husband's killer.

When: Sunday, April 11th at 4:00pm (just after Divine Mercy Chaplet in the Church at 3:00pm)

Where: Craig Willy Hall

Who: All are invited...families are encouraged to attend

Other: Light refreshments served

Cost: Free will offering for Knights of Columbus Charities  
Sponsored by the Knights of Columbus

### **FAITH IN ACTION:**

### **The Power of the Adoration Chapel**

Fr. Thomas Haan, Pastor and Jerilyn Kunkel, Adoration Chapel Coordinator talk with Faith In Action podcast co-hosts, Jim Ganley and Brigid Ayer about the Adoration Chapel at St. Louis de Montfort and the benefits of having and visiting one.

You can listen on demand via podcast (The podcast is available on Apple Podcasts, Google Podcasts, Spotify, and many other podcast platforms. Search "Catholic Radio Indy Faith In Action" to find the podcast on your favorite podcast platform).

#### **Podcast Link**

<https://www.podbean.com/ew/pb-6r5cv-feece1>

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On your cellphone with a FREE APP or  
Simply by dialing 605-562-9822

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in the Church.*



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Go to [FORMED.org/signup](http://FORMED.org/signup)  
Enter our parish zip code (46038) or name to select our parish  
Enter your name and email

#### **Saint Louis de Montfort Catholic Church Application for Offertory Tithe Beneficiary**

As faithful stewards of God's many gifts, Saint Louis de Montfort understands its responsibility to care for our brothers and sisters in need. If you know of a particular organization or cause in need of our support, please visit <https://sldmfishers.org/application-for-offertory-tithe-beneficiary> to complete the form. Submit it to the parish office or **email it to the Parish Stewardship office c/o Scott at [sbernhardt@sldmfishers.org](mailto:sbernhardt@sldmfishers.org)**.

Your request will be reviewed in confidence by the parish Tithing Committee. You will be contacted once the review process is complete. Thank you for your interest and desire to help those in need.

# BLOOD DRIVE

Hope springs

**DONATE  
BLOOD**

eternal

**Sunday  
April**

**18**

**8:00 AM – 1:00 PM**

**Helpful tip:  
Make sure to eat a healthy  
meal and drink plenty of  
water before donating.**

## **FISHERS KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS AT ST. LOUIS DE MONTFORT**

### **LOCATION:**

**4/18 @ Craig Willy Hall  
8:00AM - 1:00 PM**

**The need for blood is constant! Raising your sleeve to donate will ensure that local hospital patients will have the life-saving blood products that they need!**

**APPOINTMENTS PREFERRED**

**Call 317.916.5150 or visit [versiti.org](http://versiti.org), sponsor code 1180**

### **MORE INFORMATION:**

**Please eat, hydrate, wear your mask and bring photo I.D. with date of birth the day of the blood drive.**

**Thank you! Questions: email Kristine, [kpierce@versiti.org](mailto:kpierce@versiti.org)**



**DID YOU KNOW THAT SLDM CYO SPORTS ARE FOR ALL PARISHIONERS! YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ATTEND SCHOOL AT SLDM TO PARTICIPATE!**



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 3RD GRADE GIRLS TEAM ALFERMANN ON WINNING THE CARMEL DEANERY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT!**

**UNIFORM RETURN:**

All boys' basketball uniforms should be returned. If you have not returned your son's uniform please do so ASAP.

All volleyball uniforms should be returned now.

You may return the uniforms in a marked bag to the school for your child to drop in the CYO bin at the entrance of the school or in the vestibule between the doors at the parish office.

**REGISTRATIONS:**

All spring sports registrations are closed. If you would like your child to be added to a waiting list, please email us at [cyo@sldmfishers.org](mailto:cyo@sldmfishers.org).

**SEND US YOUR TEAM PICTURES FROM THE 2020-21 SEASONS:**

Please send any team pictures to [cyo@sldmfishers.org](mailto:cyo@sldmfishers.org). We want to use these for the Athletic website and *The Catholic Moment*.

**EIGHTH GRADE SPOTLIGHT:**

Beginning in February we are highlighting the CYO and non-academic careers of all 8th graders. We will be contacting the parents of each 8th grader individually and asking for one paragraph written by your student. This is optional and not required. We will provide ideas of what may be included in the specific, individual email. This will be posted on the Athletic tab of the website. This week's spotlight is **MAURA O'DONOHUE AND BRANDON PRUITT**. Please visit: <https://sldmfishers.org/8th-grade-spotlight> to read about these amazing 8th graders.

**The fourth \$50 winner of the K of C 500 Club Early Bird drawing was Janice Foulds.**

The final 11 winners will be drawn on April 12. Thanks to all those participating, it's not too late to order more tickets.

Contact John Zimmerman at 317-445-0804.



Please "Like" us at our OFFICIAL Facebook page (St. Louis de Montfort Catholic Community), and invite your friends to join!

**Knights News**

**Knights of Columbus 6923**

**Leave No Neighbor Behind**



If you need help, especially during these times when it may be difficult to leave your home, the Knights welcome the opportunity to assist you. It may be raking leaves, shoveling snow (hopefully a mild winter), picking up groceries, general house cleaning or repairs, the Knights are here to help. Please contact Jim Harris at 317-418-3924 or Tim Campbell at 317-607-9680 with questions and requests. If you receive a voicemail, please leave a message and we will get back with you.

**Rosary before all Masses**—The Knights lead the Rosary before all weekend Masses in the Church, 25 minutes before Mass begins. Please join us as we pray for our parish and country.

**Knights of Columbus Blood Drive**—What a great drive! We collected 52 blood products! That is the largest blood drive at St. Louis De Montfort in 5 years! Those 52 products impact up to 156 lives! Thank you so much to those who donated. Our next Blood Drive will be held on Sunday, April 18th.

**Next Knights of Columbus Business Meeting** will be held on Monday, April 12th, in Craig Willy Hall, beginning with the Rosary at 6:45PM.

**Divine Mercy Sunday Movie**—The Face of Mercy will be shown just after the Divine Mercy service on Sunday, April 11th. The movie will begin at 4PM in Craig Willy Hall. Light refreshments will be served.

**Join the Knights!** Our next initiation is Monday, April 26th at 6:30 pm in Craig Willy Hall. RSVP (required) and direct questions about the Knights or the initiation to Jim Harris at 317-418-3924.



**EASTER SUNDAY**

He bent down and saw the burial cloths there, but did not go in. When Simon Peter arrived after him, he went into the tomb and saw the burial cloths there, and the cloth that had covered his head, not with the burial cloths but rolled up in a separate place. - Jn 20:5-7

# PARISH INFORMATION

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## RECONCILIATION

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5-5:50pm, every Saturday morning following the 8am Mass, or by appointment.

## ANOINTING OF THE SICK

To arrange for anointing, call the parish office.

## HOLY COMMUNION

If you or another parishioner is sick and/or homebound and would like to receive the Eucharist, please contact Fr. Sean Aaron at frsean@sldmfishers.org.

## BAPTISM FOR INFANTS AND CHILDREN

Parents of children who need Baptism or children who are past grade 2 preparation and not yet in jr. high school, and need the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist, please contact the parish office at 317-842-6778. Please note that Baptisms are offered on the second and fourth Sundays at 1 p.m.

## WEDDINGS

Registered couples wanting to schedule a wedding and/or marriage preparation must contact the parish office. Weddings at St. Louis de Montfort should be scheduled one year in advance and have a sacramental preparation period of not less than six months prior to the wedding date.

## FUNERALS

Please call the parish office prior to making any funeral arrangements with a funeral director. This ensures that a priest and the church will be available. To preplan a funeral prayer service and/or Mass, please contact the parish office at 317-842-6778.

## RCIA

Sessions are Tuesdays from 7-8:30PM in the Merton Room. Contact Angela Exner at 317-842-6778, x240 or aexner@sldmfishers.org if you are interested in learning more about the Catholic faith.

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you have a teen from the ages of 12-17 in need of Baptism, Reconciliation, First Communion, and Confirmation please contact Angela Exner—aexner@sldmfishers.org. If your teen has already received Baptism, Reconciliation, and First Communion and is wishing to be Confirmed, please contact Dave Neeson - dneeson@sldmfishers.org.

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Event/Meeting Rooms must be approved and reserved in advance (1 wk min.). Please email receptionist@sldmfishers.org for all scheduling. All events and room reservations must be requested in writing. Craig Willy Hall may be rented with a fee. For wedding receptions (minimum 2-week notice), the sacramental marriage must be celebrated at SLDM. Hall forms are available in the parish office. All adults participating in events with youth under 18 yrs. of age must have completed the Safe and Sacred Certification.

**BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS:** Any bulletin announcements are to be sent for approval to your particular staff representative. If you aren't sure who your staff representative is, send the announcement to Jeff Oelker at joelker@sldmfishers.org. Bulletin announcements will typically run for two weeks.

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