AUGUST 14, 2022 | 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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WEEKEND MASS TIMES

Saturday: 5:00p **Sunday**: 8:00a & 10:30a

CONFESSIONS

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30p

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES

Monday, Tuesday (School), Wednesday, Friday: 7:30a

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday: 7:30a-3:30p

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CONGRATS TO OUR NEW DEACONS!

Parishioners Dan Niemeier and Ed Walker were ordained at St. Ben's on Saturday morning.

Congratulations to Deacon Dan Niemeier and Deacon Ed Walker on their ordination! It has been many years since Resurrection has had a deacon, and we thought this would be a good opportunity to explain and explore the role of a deacon in parish life. Before we get to what he does, let us first touch on what a deacon is. From a scriptural perspective, the deacon is called to minister "in persona Christi Servi"-in the person of Christ the Servant. As Scripture says, I have come "not to be served, but to serve" (Matt 20:28). The first deacon ordinations are recorded in the Acts of the Apostles, where the apostles are shown laying hands on seven candidates, described as "seven men of good standing, full of the Spirit and of wisdom" (Acts 6:3). A deacon is a man with a foot in both worlds, the secular and the sacred, a cleric living a lay life. Deacons are servants of the bishop in his service of the people of God. He is ordained to serve both in the world and alongside the priest at the altar.

The most visible role of the deacon is at Mass. During the Mass, the deacon carries the Book of the Gospels during the procession. The deacon, after receiving a blessing from the priest, proclaims the Gospel and occasionally preaches the homily. He will generally be the one who reads the Universal Prayers, or petitions, offered at Mass. During the Liturgy of the Eucharist, he prepares the altar, mixes the water and the wine, and assists the priest with the chalice. The deacon is an Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion and helps with the distribution of the Eucharist. If both species are offered, he distributes the Precious Blood. Following Communion, the deacon purifies the sacred vessels at the credence table. After the priest's blessing at the end of Mass, the deacon dismisses the faithful.

While assisting at Mass is the deacon's most visible role, it is only a part of his ministry. It is not the deacon's "job" to do a lot of "work", but through the gift of Holy Orders it is Christ inviting the deacon to be

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RECENT BEREAVEMENTS

May eternal rest be granted to Resurrection parishioner Beverly Montgomery, who passed away on August 1, 2022.

Deepest sympathy to Sam (Ashley) Nunning on the death of his father, Richard "Rick" Nunning. Please keep Sam and his family in your thoughts and prayers.

KEYS FOUND IN PARKING LOT

A staff member found a set of Ford keys in the parking lot at Resurrection on Thursday, July 28th. If these belong to you, please call the parish office at (812) 963-3121 or drop by the office from 7:30a to 3:30p Monday through Friday. Thanks!

2022 CPC ENDS SEPTEMBER

If you have not yet contributed to the 2022 CPC, and still wish to do so, please make your donations before September. The 2023 campaign begins in September, and 2022 contributions will no longer be accepted at that time.

Every donation helps our parish, so we are grateful to everyone who has contributed to this campaign.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, Aug. 15, 2022

7:30a Rita Ziliak

Tuesday, Aug. 16, 2022 (School Mass)

7:30a Jennie Kane

Wednesday, Aug. 17, 2022

7:30a All Individuals Suffering from Addiction

Friday, Aug. 19, 2022

7:30a Rita Neumann

Saturday, Aug. 20, 2022

5:00p Jim & Katie Seib

Sunday, Aug. 21, 2022

8:00a Allan Knapp

10:30a For the Parishioners of Resurrection

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

EMHC for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Dan Niemeier/Kim Sergesketter/Glenn

Smith

Sunday 8:00a— Dan Niemeier/Tammy Glaser/Curt

Stratman

10:30a— Dan Niemeier/Jossie Hudson/Tracey

Hudson

Readers for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Vanessa Mischler/Tammy Glaser

Sunday 8:00a— Clint Mullenix/Tom Record

10:30a— Judy Bretz/Matthew McDowell

Gift Bearers for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Frank Goebel

Sunday 8:00a— Milton & Brenda Ward

10:30a— Brandon & Emily Porter

Ushers for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Bob Weber/Rick & Debra Knight/Jeff

Weinzapfel

Sunday 8:00a— Jim Balbach/Wayne Botzum/Dan

Gutzweiler

10:30a— Mike DeJean/Scott VanMeter

Servers for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Wyatt Bright/Claire Ambrose

Sunday 8:00a— Josh Brenner/Ella Hillhouse

10:30a— Lucy Rohleder/Zeke Rohleder

Sacristans for Aug. 20/21

Saturday 5:00p— Bob & JoAnn Weber Sunday 8:00a— Matthew McDowell

10:70a John 9 Tammy Schroods

10:30a— John & Tammy Schroeder

DEACON CELEBRATION PLANNED

Parishioners Dan Niemeier and Ed Walker were ordained as Permanent Deacons on Saturday morning. At that time, both men officially began their assignments as deacons at our parish!

To celebrate their installation as deacons and officially welcome them to their new roles in our parish, we are hosting a celebration in the cafeteria after all Masses this weekend. We hope you will join us after Mass to congratulate Ed and Dan and to help us celebrate with cake, donuts, and cookies.

DEACONS PREACHING THE HOMILY

A deacon's most visible role is assisting the priest during Mass. The deacon, after receiving a blessing from the priest, proclaims the Gospel and occasionally preaches the homily.

Deacons Ed and Dan will have their first opportunity to preach the homily in the coming weeks. Deacon Ed plans to preach at Masses this weekend (Aug. 13th and 14th), while Deacon Dan plans to preach at Masses Aug. 20th and 21st.

We look forward to the ways the Holy Spirit will work through these men to help us grow our faith.

THE ROLE OF A DEACON (Continued from Cover)

available in Him to the needs of the people. Prayer is how the deacon learns to be Christ present to others. He prays morning and evening prayer of the Liturgy of the Hours, but more importantly, he prays by continuing what is already present in his life and turning it into an ongoing conversation with God.

The deacon can baptize, witness marriage vows, preach, preside at wakes, funerals and burial services, as well as lead liturgical prayers and devotions, like Eucharistic exposition. But the diaconal ordination rite says little about what a deacon should do. Rather, the rite focuses on who a deacon should become, which is a virtuous man.

How is it determined what the deacon will do in his parish ministry? Our diocese provides a diaconal service agreement that the pastor and the deacon reference. The Church orders the deacon's priorities as God, spouse, family, work and then diaconate. Based on those priorities and the needs of the pastor and parish, the pastor, the deacon, and his wife, who must approve the agreement, determine how he will minister in the parish. Although the deacon works with the pastor, he is responsible to, and under the authority of the bishop.

Information provided by Deacon Ed Walker

SAVIO & SIENA GROUPS MEETING SUNDAY, AUGUST 21ST

The Diocese of Evansville's Vocations Office is committed to helping young people discern what God is calling them to do with their lives.

That commitment has led to the formation of two groups — the Savio Group for young men and the Siena community for young women. Both groups are hosting meetings on Aug. 21st.

SIENA COMMUNITY

Named after St. Catherine of Siena, a virgin doctor of the church, Siena gathers middle school and high school girls interested in a community of like-minded individuals aiming to grow in virtue and discern God's will.

The next Siena meeting is Sunday, Aug. 21st from 2 to 4p at St. John the Evangelist Church in Daylight. The afternoon will include snacks, hangout, games, faith formation, and closing prayer.

SAVIO GROUP

In the mid-1800's, Father John Bosco began a school for guys in the city of Turin, Italy. Hundreds gathered there to learn, pray, play, and grow as young men. Nearby in a small, country town, Dominic Savio asked his parents if he could join the brotherhood. Dominic knew God was calling, and Fr. Bosco and the Turin oratory would be the best place he could grow in his faith and discern his vocation.

More than 150 years later in Evansville, we are doing the same thing. Dozens of young men in junior high and high school gather both at the House of Discernment and at St. Joe in Dubois County under the patronage of St. Dominic Savio to pray, feast, befriend, and sacrifice.

The next Savio meeting is Sunday, Aug. 21st from 6-8:15p at the House of Discernment on Sacred Heart's campus. The evening includes sports, pizza, faith formation, and night prayer.





RESPECT FOR LIFE: TROTTER HOUSE PRESENTATION

Resurrection's Respect for Life group is meeting again at 7p Thursday, August 18th in the Kreilein Conference Room. This month, the group will hear a presentation from staff at the Trotter House of Evansville. This community outreach program assists women and families during an unplanned pregnancy and beyond.

During the meeting, we will learn in greater detail what this organization does. This is part of a discernment process for our parish. We are prayerfully considering how we are being called to protect, promote, respect, and support life.

We hope you will join us for this meeting. If you cannot attend, we encourage you to pray for the group as its members discern how we can serve others through this ministry.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES BEGIN AGAIN IN SEPTEMBER

Religious Education classes for the 2022-2023 school year will begin again on September 18th.

Registration forms, which include class schedules, procedures, and other information, can be found on the homepage of the parish website at www.resurrectionevv.com. Forms also are available in the church lobby.

Registration forms, along with the \$25 class fee, are due to the parish office by Aug. 19th or can be returned in the collection basket until Aug. 21st.

We hope all of our religious education students are having a wonderful summer, but we look forward to seeing them again in September!

RCIA CLASSES BEGIN SEPT. 25TH

Do you know someone who is interested in joining the Catholic Church? Encourage them to join this year's RCIA classes.

Resurrection is beginning 2022-2023 RCIA classes on September 25th.

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is a formal process developed for those who are interested in converting to Catholicism.

During RCIA classes, we will help you understand the biblical basis for our Church, the meaning of our Mass, and a host of other things, with the goal of igniting in you a wonderful new life in Christ.

The RCIA registration form, class schedule, and a list of resources can be found on the homepage of our website at **www.resurrectionevv.com**. Forms also are available in the church lobby.

If you have questions about RCIA or the process of converting to Catholicism, please contact Annie-Rose Keith by emailing her at arkeith@evdio.org or by calling the parish office at (812) 963-3121.

SCHOOL SUBSTITUTES NEEDED

Resurrection Catholic School is in need of additional substitute teachers for the 2022-2023 school year.

If you or someone you know is interested, or if you have any questions, contact Theresa Berendes by emailing her at **tberendes@evdio.org**. Thank you in advance for your willingness to support our school and our students!

LIFE-GIVING WOUNDS RETREAT

Life-Giving Wounds is a Catholic, peer-led ministry helping young adults and adults whose parents are separated or divorced. This ministry aims to help young adults and adults of divorce give voice to their pain and find spiritual healing.

The Dioceses of Evansville and Owensboro are hosting a 3-day Life-Giving Wounds Retreat at SARTO Retreat Center in Evansville from Aug. 19-21. The cost is \$175 per person, or \$85 for college students (must be 18 years or older). Scholarships are available. The cost includes six meals, a private room, snacks, and materials. For more information, contact Eric Girten at egirten@evdio.org.

2023 CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

Resurrection's 2023 Confirmation is scheduled for January 28th. Registration forms were mailed to incoming sophomores in high school.

Registration forms, along with class schedules and other information, can also be found on the homepage of the parish website at

www.resurrectionevv.com. Please return the registration forms to the parish office by Sept. 4th.

PARISH BLOOD DRIVE AUGUST 28TH



Resurrection is partnering with the American Red Cross to host a second Blood Drive on Sunday, Aug. 28th from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the cafeteria. Join us American before or after church that day

The link to sign up can be found on the homepage of the parish website at www.resurrectionevv.com, or on the Realm event.

Our country is in the midst of a critical blood shortage, so every donation helps! One pint of blood can save up to three lives.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BINGO SET FOR SATURDAY, AUG. 27TH



The Knights of Columbus of St. Philip and Corpus Christi are sponsoring a Bingo night on Saturday, August 27, 2022 at the St. Philip Gymnasium. Doors open at 5:00p, and the Bingo begins at 6:00p.

The cost is \$25 for a packet of 20 games as well as a packet of 4 special games. Hamburgers,

cheeseburgers, hot dogs, nachos and cheese, popcorn, and drinks will be available to purchase.

SURVIVING DIVORCE GROUP

St. Mary's Church in Huntingburg is beginning a Surviving Divorce group on Aug. 25th from 6-8p ET. The group will meet on Thursday evenings and will use the Rose Sweet Surviving Divorce program. Contact Rachel Wright: rwright@evdio.org or Debbie Schmitt: daschmitt@evdio.org to register or call 812-683-2372.

AREA SUMMER SOCIALS & DINNERS

St. Phillip: The St. Philip Summer Social is this Saturday and Sunday, August 13 & 14. Saturday evening will feature Food Trucks along with raffles, games and Bingo. On Sunday there will be a Fried Chicken Dinner with all of the trimmings beginning after the 9:30a Mass from 10:30a - 2:00p. There will be drive-thru dinners from 10:30a - 1:00p. Come also for raffles, games and Bingo in the lower level of the church.

Holy Redeemer: Holy Redeemer is hosting a summer event on Saturday, Aug. 27 from 5 to 7p. The event includes a pulled pork dinner with dinein and drive-thru options. The menu features pulled pork, baked potato, macaroni & cheese, coleslaw, baked beans, bread, dessert, and drink (drink excluded in drive-thru). Cost of the meal is \$12. Dinner tickets must be purchased in advance. Deadline to purchase tickets is Friday. Aug. 19. This summer event also includes a grand raffle, quilt raffle, and half pot.

St. Wendel: St. Wendel is hosting its Summer Social from 5 to 9p Saturday, Sept. 10 and 11a to 8p Sunday, Sept. 11. A pork chop dinner is available from 5 to 7:30p Saturday, and a country chicken dinner is available from 11a to 2p Sunday. Carryouts are available both days, and a drive-thru will be set up for the chicken dinner on Sunday. The social also features a raffle with \$10,000 in cash prizes, children's games, Luck of the Draw, Bingo, food booths, face painting, and more.









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