

# Third Sunday of Lent 03-24-2019



"The Holy Spirit will come upon you, and the power of the Most High will overshadow you; therefore the child to be born of you will be called Holy, the Son of God."  
- Luke 1:35-

## MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

Monday	March 25	(SJ)	8:00AM	Jeanette Nine	John Nine Family
Monday	March 25	(VN)	11:00AM	Elizabeth Scheiber	Rita Creech
Tuesday	March 26	(SJ)	8:00AM	John Johnson	M/M William Ehner
Tuesday	March 26	(VN)	11:00AM	Gertrude Baker	Cheryl Dawson
Wednesday	March 27	(SJ)	8:00AM	Susan (Bauer) Beshay	Dan & Kathleen Wisel
Thursday	March 28	(SC)	6:00PM	Joan Hinen	M/M Don Greulich
Friday	March 29	(SJ)	8:00AM	Joe & Garnet Merckx	George & Ellen Giles
Friday	March 29	(SJ)	6:00PM	**Stations of the Cross**	
Saturday	March 30	(SC)	8:00AM	David Heiney	
Saturday	March 30	(SJ)	4:00PM	Dennis Girardot	Jerry Girardot
Sunday	March 31	(SJ)	7:30 AM	For the People	
Sunday	March 31	(SC)	9:15 AM	Janet Hinen	Geraldine Lickey
Sunday	March 31	(SJ)	11:00 AM	Charolette Smart	Raders Refridgeration

	(SJ) St. Joseph	(SC) St. Catherine	(VN) Victory Noll	Sisters
	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Ushers	Servers
March 30 (SJ) 4:00PM	B. Eherenman	J. Girardo / D. & P. Cler	B. & L. Harrison	A. & J. Melcher
March 31 (SJ) 7:30AM	M. Linker	C. & D. Snodgrass / V. Linker	J. & J. Haifley	E. & A. Sorg
March 31 (SC) 9:15AM	J. Hiligoss	M. Frazier / T. Rivas	K. Trabert / S. Rivas	D. Starkey
March 31 (SJ) 11:00AM	M. Zwick	I. & P. Mattes / L. Stickell	D. Aguilera / L. Smart	T. & C. Mattes

### The 2019 Family Symposium

Strengthening Families By Loving Your Neighbor, will be held on Saturday, April 13, at the Fort Wayne Stake Center from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Symposium is sponsored by the Fort Wayne Stake of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints and Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Fort Wayne-South Bend. Questions, please call Catholic Charities at 260-422-5625. The Symposium will focus on the challenges and needs faced by refugees and immigrants in our communities and specifically help us understand how we can minister to them. Everyone 12 and older is invited. Fee of \$15 per person or \$25 per family of up to six will include a box lunch and refreshments. Preregistered babysitting for children ages 2 years and older is available for \$2 per child. \*\*REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED BY APRIL 8 at [www.2019familysymposium.eventbrite.com](http://www.2019familysymposium.eventbrite.com)

### LuersKnight Raffle Tickets

LuersKnight is a fundraiser invaluable to Bishop Luers High School. It helps to provide an education that promotes the development of Catholic values. The monies raised from LuersKnight Raffle tickets will be used for tuition assistance. As a part of the evening, we will be giving away an All-Inclusive trip for two to Cabo San Lucas (airfare included). The drawing will take place at 12:01 am on April 27, 2019. License Number # 149038 Tickets can be purchased in the Advancement Office. Cost of Tickets are \$100 Melissa Hire of Bishop Luers High School, 260-456-1261 ext. 3040 or visit [www.bishopluers.org](http://www.bishopluers.org).

### Contribution Counters for weekend of March 31:

P. Mattes and I. Mattes

### Men's Cursillo Weekend:



The Cursillo movement is a lay movement within the Catholic Church. It is Spanish for a "short course" in Christianity. It is based on three principles, the love of God, friendship and the person. It is a 3-day event where candidates will pray together, attend daily Mass, be presented religious talks, and have opportunities for receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This Cursillo will be held at St. Felix Catholic Center in Huntington, April 25th-28th. For more information please contact Andrew Foster. Email: [afoster1950@gmail.com](mailto:afoster1950@gmail.com) Phone 260-402-7032

### Make a Pilgrimage to Carey Ohio

Most pilgrimages are for one day in which you enjoy the celebration of the Mass in the beautiful Basilica, making the Stations of the Cross in the 30-acres Shrine Park, praying the rosary and participating in healing prayers while seeking Mary's intercession and companionship on your own journey. Please contact Brother Tom Hercegovics, the Pilgrimage Director, he will work with you to create a prayerful and spiritually renewing experience. You can reach Brother Tom at 419-396-7107 ext 237.

# MARCH

**March 25:** St. Catherine's Rosary Society Meeting at 7:00pm

**March 26:** Adoration at St. Joseph from 8:30am—7:00pm— Please sign up or call Elaine Avilia at 260-442-8937

**March 29:** Stations of the Cross at St. Joseph's at 6:00pm

**March 30:** Ladies Morning of Reflection—St. Catherine at 8am

### Thought for the Week:

"The family was ordained of God that children might be trained up for Himself; it was before the church, or rather the first form of the church on earth." - Pope Leo XIII

### Saturday March 30th Ladies Morning of Reflection at St. Catherine:

There will be a Morning of Reflection on Saturday, March 30 at Saint Catherine of Alexandria Church. Mass will be said by Father Dale at 8:00am followed by breakfast in the parish hall. Talks will be given on the Seven Jesuit Priests, referred to as The North American Martyrs and on Saint Tekawitha, all of whom lived in the mid 1600's. A free will donation will be taken up to benefit Right to Life. The morning will end by 11am. Please call Linda Bustamante for further information at 260-344-3112.

### St. Mary's Huntington Fish Fry:

Friday March 29, 2019 from 4:30pm to 7:30pm in St. Mary's Church gymnasium (903 N. Jefferson Huntington, IN). Featuring Dan's Fish Fry, a 50/50 raffle and Bake Sale. Adult Meal \$10.00 Children Meal \$5.00.

### Transportation Assistance for Veterans in Whitley County:

The Alan Fox Fund at the Community Foundation of Whitley County has been established to help provide affordable transportation to VA hospitals or other VA approved facilities in Indiana for veterans living in Whitley County. The fund workd in conjunction with Whitley County Transit to help offset trip charges. Please call Whitley County Transit at 260-248-8944 for more information.

### Mass Intentions Book:

The 2020 Mass Intentions book has arrived. We will now be scheduling all the 2020 Masses. This is a first come first serve basis so call the office at 260-672-2838, or email the office at [sscatherineandjoseph@comcast.net](mailto:sscatherineandjoseph@comcast.net), or place your \$10 per Mass in an envelope with your Mass intention(s) in the offering and we will try to get the date(s) you want.

### Annual S.J. Rosary Society Book Sale:

St. Joseph Rosary Society will be having their used book sale again in May. As you begin the New Year and are cleaning out your closets etc. please save your books, cd's, and dvd's for the sale. We will begin collecting them in April. Thank you! Call Deb Osterholt with questions at 260-672-2524.

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### St. Joseph's Christmas Family:



The Christmas trees are in the vestibules. As you may recall, this year we are sponsoring a family from St. Joseph Hessen Cassel. It is a family of four (Mom, and 3 children: boy 8, girl 6, girl 5).

We have good news to share! The mother has accepted a new position at a paper company. She thanks you for your many prayers while she searched for a better job. She continues to struggle to pay some bills on time. Please take a tag or tags from the trees in the vestibules. Cash donations are also welcome. Please place the money in an envelope marked "Christmas Family" and place it in the offering basket. All items need to be back to church by March 31st. Gently used clothes are fine as well as new. Please call Tim & Shirley Sorg if you have any questions at 260-638-4562.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

### Third Week of Lent Rice Bowl: Encounter Dhathcroos Family:

The Dhathcroos family returned home, after fleeing violence in their country, to build a prosperous farm and become a vital contributor to their community. How can you assist refugees in your community to rebuild their lives? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more.

Support of Our Parishes	St. Catherine	St. Joseph
Weekly Budget Goal:	\$1,700.00	\$3,900.00
Adult envelopes	\$995.00	\$4,630.00
Offertory Income Loose	\$102.00	\$583.50
Children envelopes	\$4.00	\$14.00
Preservation-Building	\$250.00	\$1065.00
Votives	\$13.00	\$93.00
Rosary Society	\$0.00	\$3.00
Eastern Europe Churches	\$50.00	\$0.00
Black & Indian Missions	\$30.00	\$0.00
Easter Flowers	\$50.00	\$500.00
Designated Carpet Cleaning	N/A	\$1,000.00