ST. ANNE CHURCH

6894 N. Walnut Street Monterey, Indiana 46960 Pastor: Rev. Bert Woolson E-Mail: woolson@centurylink.net Rectory: 2122 E 250 N Winamac, IN 46996 574-946-3453 MASS SCHEDULE Sunday 8:00 a.m. Thursday 5:00 p.m. Saturday 4:00 p.m.

Reconciliation 3:00 p.m. on Saturday **Religious Education** Sunday 9:00 - 10:00 a.m.

Pastoral Council President: Jim Shank Loren Loehmer, Renita Potthoff, Marian Reinhold, Steve Shank

Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 19, 2017

Blessed are those who hope in the Lord.

ST. ANN CHURCH

415 Logan Street Kewanna, IN 46939 Pastor: Rev. Bert Woolson E-Mail: <u>woolson@centurylink.net</u> Rectory: 2122 E 250 N Winamac, IN 46996 574-946-3453 MASS SCHEDULE Tuesday 5:00 p.m. Saturday 6:00 p.m. RECONCILIATION After 5:00 p.m. Mass

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Pastoral Council Secretary: Juanita Rude Mark Brown, Maurice Cohagan, Paul Scheetz

MASS INTENTIONS ST. ANN

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4:00 p.m. Poor Souls
Sunday, February 19
8:00 a.m. For the People of the Parishes
Thursday, February 23
5:00 pm Grazys Family

Saturday, February 25

4:00 p.m. Max & Phyllis Woodward

Sunday, February 26

8:00 a.m. Luke Liette

FRUITFUL HARVEST

Is the program our Diocese uses to support the diocesan offices and the various ministries that they are required to provide. It is also the way that we support the works of the universal church. I am not going to make any more phone calls asking for support or knock on doors. Reaching the goal is the responsibility of our parishes. And we are way short of that goal. If you are able to make a pledge then please do so soon. Neither parish can afford to make up that gap.

CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS

The 2016 contribution statements are now available. If you would like yours, please call Fr. Bert at 574-946-3453.

COLLECTION

	Feb 4&5	Feb 11&12	
Regular Collection	\$756.00	\$803.00	
Propagation of Faith	\$6.00	\$10.00	
Building Fund	\$288.00	\$30.00	
Haiti	\$97.00	\$10.00	

VOLUNTEER CLEANERS

For the weeks of February 19th & 26th – Jim & Mark Shank Family

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

February 25—4:00 pm: Sam Allen Diane Natke February 26—8:00 am: Angie Loehmer Phyllis Thomas

A SHORT REFLECTION

Jesus showed us the powerlessness of brutality by proving that life prevails: he rose from the dead and the cross became a symbol of life. But as Paul admits, his message seems foolish to the world. Nevertheless, from the time of Moses on, God has called a people to be holy, which ultimately means to be caught up in and by love. Jesus' message in today's Gospel is that we were made for more than pettiness and futility, and that no power on earth can demean us to the point of erasing our humanity.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

After decades of dialogue with Muslim leaders, the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops' Committee for Ecumenical and Interreligious Affairs said, "Still, it is our belief that the most efficient way to work toward ending or at least curtailing such violence and prejudice is through building networks of dialogue that can overcome ignorance, extremism, and discrimination and so lead to friendship and trust with Muslims. These efforts come at a time when our contemporary culture appears to encourage divisiveness and discord. For example, often the rhetoric is that all Muslims believe that radical Islamic Jihad is an acceptable response to all believers. Yet the vast majority of Muslims in America (of which there are an estimated nine million) denounce the terrorism of the radical jihadists and claim no connection with radial Islam. As we have journeyed through the Gospel of Matthew these past weeks, you may have concluded by now that living the Gospel of Jesus is very demanding. Today is no exception as we are encouraged not to be "driven by fear" but to love our enemies and build friendship and trust especially with those we see as other. Jesus offers us a great challenge.



MASS INTENTIONS

THE CATHOLIC MOMENT

The Holy Family Foundation is partially funding subscriptions for St. Anne's in Monterey.

This year they are unable to fully fund it as in

the past. Also the cost of The Catholic Mo-

ment is now \$22 which is the first increase in

cost in ten years. To help keep costs as low

as possible, The Catholic Moment has

streamlined their operations, one full time position has been eliminated and another per-

son is now part time. So please use the enve-

lope for The Catholic Moment that is in your

packet with a \$22 check to help keep The

Catholic Moment coming to your mailbox.

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MASS INTENTIONS	COLLECTION		
Saturday, February 18 6:00 p.m. †members of Mick & Mark Brown Family	Regular Collection	Feb 4&5 \$206.00	Feb 11&12 \$278.00
Tuesday, February 21	Building Fund	\$20.00	\$5.00
5:00 p.m. John Eder Family Saturday, February 25	Haiti	\$30.00	\$5.00 \$25.00
6:00 p.m. For the People of the Parishes	Catholic Moment Propagation of Faith	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$25.00 \$5.00

LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

February 18 6:00 p.m.

Reader: Mick Brown Euch. Ministers: Barb Sargent, Maurice Cohagan Greeters: Jim & Carol Bauman Music: Tina Race, Linda Arnett Gifts: Jim & Deb Walsh

February 25 6:00 p.m.

Reader: Euch. Ministers: Greeters: Music: Gifts:

WINTER WEATHER

I would like everyone to use good common sense in terms of trying to get to Mass on the weekends, if the roads are bad then please stay home and be safe. If either Pulaski or Fulton Counties declares a snow emergency then stay home, it is illegal to be on the roads. Personally, I have a vehicle that is very good in snow and I will do my best to get to church for Mass. If the roads are really bad, I will stay home, and you should have stayed home. Discretion is the better part of valor.

SUNDAY READINGS

To better prepare yourself to listen to the word of the Lord for next Sunday, please read and meditate on the readings this week, they are: Isaiah 49:14-15 "I will never forget you." 1 Corinthians 4:1-5 Only God can judge us. Matthew 6:24-34 "Do not worry about tomorrow."



MEDICAL MISSION TO HATI

For this year was a great success. All of our goals were completed and medication was left behind to help our brothers and sisters in Haiti over the coming year. Plans are already being made for the Mission in 2018. The construction of our own clinical space will be completed before we go back. We have three clinical exam tables (just like you would see at your doctor's office) that we are making plans to ship down to Haiti for our new clinic.

HELP FOR HURTING MARRIAGES

The Married Singles Lifestyle is experienced by couples who may have lots a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille is a worldwide program that teaches couples how to rediscover each other and work through difficult times in their marriages. Tens of thousands of couples headed for divorce have successfully saved their marriages by attending the weekend and follow-up sessions. To learn more about the program or to register for the Fev.24-26 weekend and follow-up post-weekend sessions in Indianapolis, vist the webside: at www.HelkpOur Marriage.com or www.retrouvaille.org. You can also email: Retrouvaille@gmail.com or call 317-489-6811 for confidential registration information.





PLEASE PRAY FOR

Joseph Absi, Jim Zehner, Brie Armstrong, Amber Wilson, Tom Renie, Lucas Brown, Kurt Kellenburger, Bill Wagner, Gracie Figlio, Don Beech, Shirley Brennan, Kay Brash, Stephanie Evans, Marsha Crist Gearhart, Shelagh Wise, Rosie Hess, Wendell Grass, Al Gundrum, Martha Schwenk, Gloria Kontor, David Rans, Kelly Hiatt, Janet Schutter, Bill Kaytar, Harold Foust, Cyndy Raymond.

Please call the St. Joseph Parish Office with any changes to the prayer list. 574-223-2808. Thank you!

To view the bulletin online go to: <u>http://www.parishesonline.com/find/st-joseph-catholic-church</u>

Marriage—Please contact our pastor at least six months in advance of your desired date.

Baptism—Please contact our pastor for a preparation meeting.

Bulletin Deadline-Noon Wednesday, email: stjoseph@rtcol.com or call St. Joseph Parish Office, 574-223-2808.

Those wishing Communion for the homebound, please notify the rectory.