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Mass Schedule Saturday

St. Mary – 4:30pm **Sunday**

St. Mary – 9:00am (Rosary 8:30am) St. Joan of Arc - 5:00pm (Rosary 4:30pm)

Weekdays (at St. Mary only)

Tuesday – 6:00pm Wednesday – Friday – 7:00am 1st Saturday – 7:00am

Tuesday – 5:00pm – Adoration Tuesday – 7:00pm – Apologetics (on hiatus)

CCD

(Starts Nov. 1)

St. Mary - Sunday at 10:00am

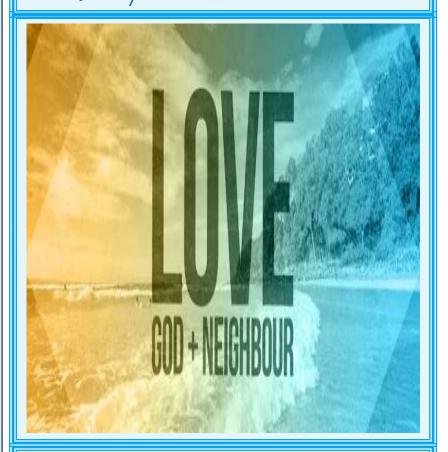
RCIA

St. Mary – Wednesday at 6:00pm Call 812-512-0997 to register

Confessions

Saturday – 3:30pm – St. Mary Sunday – 8:30am – St. Mary Sunday – 4:30pm – St. Joan Tuesday – 5:15pm Or by appointment St. Joan of Arc 327 W. McKinley St. Jasonville, IN PO Box 506 Sullivan, IN 47882 St. Mary Church 105 E. Jackson Street PO Box 506 Sullivan, IN 47882

30th Sunday of Ordinary Time Oct. 25, 2020



I love you, Lord, my strength.

Psalm 18

Mass live-streamed on Facebook at 7:00am W-Th-F and 9:00am Sunday https://www.facebook.com/stmarysullivan

<u>Church Support – October 18</u>

St. Joan of Arc: Regular \$325 / World Mission \$65 **St. Mary:** Regular \$1,603 / Bldg Fund \$15 / Haiti \$8 / World Mission \$15

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK (Oct. 25 - Nov. 1)

Saturday, Oct. 25 – 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time STM – Sidney Sullivan

Sunday, Oct. 25 – 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time STM (9:00am) – The people of St. Mary & St. Joan of Arc Churches STJ (5:00pm) – Bob Walters

30th Week in Ordinary Time

Monday, Oct. 26 - Weekday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday, Oct. 27 – Weekday in Ordinary Time STM – Martha & Jack Reed Family

Wednesday, Oct. 28 – Weekday in Ordinary Time STM – President & 1st Lady Trump

Thursday, Oct. 29 – SS. Simon & Jude (Apostles) STM – Bobby Allen

Friday, Oct. 30 – Weekday in Ordinary Time STM – Christopher Voegel

Saturday, Oct. 31 – All Saints Day STM – Fr. Terrance Chartier

Sunday, Nov. 1 – All Saints Day STM (9:00am) – Lenny Barish STJ (5:00pm) – Joe Sheese →

There will be Mass on Monday, Nov. 2, at St. Mary at 7:00am for All Soul's Day.

PRAYER LIST

St. Joan of Arc: Dixie Cullison, Michael Ellis, Liam Fuzesi, JoAnn Hamilton, Jen Lee, Rose Lee, Vincent Lee, Abbey Martin, Brent Sexton, Elizabeth Solomon, Jack Trump

St. Mary: Doug Bates, William Bouchie, Stefanie Christie, Bob Cooper, Family of Stefanie Cristie, Verne Davis, Bob Falconbury, Connie Hayes, Christopher Styga, North Knox co-worker of Suzan Morgan

Send requests to shudson@evdio.org.

ITEMS OF NOTE:

- Masks are required at the Saturday evening mass at St. Mary to allow those with concerns to return to church feeling safe and secure. If you don't have a mask, some are available on the entry tables. Social distancing should still be practiced at all services. Also, please take time at the end of each service to wipe down the pew before you leave. (Cleanliness is next to Godliness!) Thank you!
- ➤ CCD classes are scheduled to start Sunday,

 November 1st. Based on the 2018-2019 rolls,
 there should be about 29 students registered,
 but we have received only 5 registration forms.
 Registration forms are on the south entry table
 or may be found on the website Education page.
 Please turn them into Fr. John or the Parish
 Secretary ASAP.

DAILY MASS READING S

Oct. 27 (Tuesday)

Reading I – Ephesians 5:21-33 Psalm128:1-2, 3, 4-5 Gospel – Luke 13:18-21

Oct. 30 (Friday)

Reading I – Philippians 1:1-11 Psalm 111:1-2, 3-4, 5-6 Gospel – Luke 14:1-6

Oct. 25 (Sunday)

Reading I – Exodus 22:20-26 Psalm 182:2, 3-4, 47, 51 Reading II – Thessalonians 1:5c-10 Gospel - Matthew 22:34-40

Oct. 28 (Wednesday)

Reading I –Ephesians 2:19-22 Psalm 19:2-3, 4-5 Gospel – Luke 6:12-16

Oct. 31 (Saturday)

Reading I – Philippians 1:18b-26 Psalm 42:2, 3, 5cdef Gospel – Luke 14:1, 7-11

Oct. 26 (Monday)

Reading I – Ephesians 4:32-5:8 Psalm 1:1-2, 3, 4 & 6 Gospel – Luke 13:10-17

Oct. 29 (Thursday)

Reading I – Ephesians 6:10-20 Psalm 144:1b, 2, 9-10 Gospel – Luke 13:31-35

Nov. 01 (Sunday)

Reading I – Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 Psalm 24:1bc-2, 3-4ab, 5-6 Reading II – 1 John 3:1-3 Gospel - Matthew 5:1-12a

A REFLECTION

FROM FR. JOHN

Saint Thomas Aquinas, nicknamed the angelic Doctor of the Church, said, "justice is a habit whereby a man renders to each one his due by a constant and perpetual will." At first glance, this seems simple, but looking deeper shows some rich implications for modern life.

A habit is a behavior done so many times, we begin to do it without thinking; the behavior becomes a part of us. What this tells us is that we can't practice justice in different ways to different receivers of justice. Instead, by using justice over and over, justice is engrained in our very thoughts.

Justice is a habit when a person renders to each one, his due. This is where the argument becomes more heated. What does each human person have due to him? At the core of the question is the right to human dignity explained by the U.S. Bishops; "The Catholic Church proclaims that human life is sacred and that the dignity of the human person is the foundation of a moral vision for society."

Human dignity is difficult to quantify. Respect, deference, enough to eat, shelter from the weather, love, mercy, equal rights are just a few ways to envision dignity.

The final part of the definition is that justice is meted out by the donors with a constant and perpetual will. So we can't use it sometimes, but not other times, or with some people, and not with others. Because it has become a habit through repeated use, our will seeks justice in all aspects of our worldliness. Specifically, our dealings with the world, our interaction with charity, and our witness of injustice are all a matter of virtue when Justice is our mode of operation.

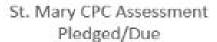
Justice is particularly important in a small Church. Equality, mercy, and love (charity) should be our mantra; each supports a just Church. A just Church is filled with persons who practice justice. We desire justice, all deserve justice, and we emulate Christ when we use justice for others.

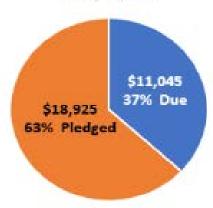
Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it.

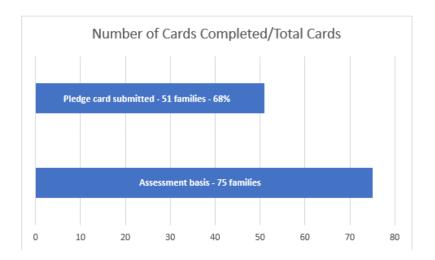
Proverbs 22:6

CCD classes are scheduled to start Sunday, November 1st. Times like these make it ever more important to grow our children's faith since they are the future of the Church. **Please register your child soon**. A great way to grow one's faith it to share it with others, so please encourage your teen to come and help.

St. Mary CPC Update







68% of families have returned a pledge card with 63% of the assessment amount pledged.

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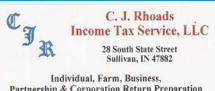


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