

# ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH

*Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana*

6894 N. Walnut Street  
Monterey, Indiana 46960

**Lord's Day Mass**  
Saturday 4:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation**  
Saturday 3:00pm

**Pastoral Council**  
Jim Shank (President),  
Loren Loehmer, Renita Potthoff,  
Marian Reinhold, Steve Shank

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## May 6, 2018



# St. Anne Catholic Church

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## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, May 5**

†John Earl Walters

**Saturday, May 12**

†Donald Walters

## COLLECTION

<b>Regular</b>	\$762
<b>Building</b>	\$10

*Thank you!*

## VOLUNTEER CLEANERS

For the week of May 6th:

Ron and Terry Lee

For the weeks of May 13th and May 20th:

Alice Bauer and Carol Ely

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

**May 12** — 4:00 pm: Steve Shank & Warren Penrod

## READINGS FOR MASS

Next Sunday's readings are passages from Acts 1:1-11, Eph 1:17-23, Mk 16:15-20. You can also find the readings for the current day's Mass on our website [www.stannechurchmonterey.org](http://www.stannechurchmonterey.org) or for any day at [www.usccb.org](http://www.usccb.org) using the calendar on the right hand side of the webpage.

## RUMMAGE SALE

The Altar & Rosary Society of St. Joseph will have their spring rummage sale in the Parish Hall on Fri, May 18, 8:00am—4:00pm and Sat, May 19, 8:00am—12:00pm. For more info contact the parish office at 574-223-2808 or [stjoseph@rtcol.com](mailto:stjoseph@rtcol.com).

## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Any man or woman who regularly attends Mass and who is a Catholic in good standing is encouraged to consider helping as a Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Music Minister, Server, or Minister of Hospitality. If you are already coming to church, it is not much of an extra commitment to assist with Mass and participate more fully in the life of the parish. Contact Fr. Mike or a Parish Council Member listed on the front of the bulletin if you are interested.

# Monterey, Indiana

## FROM FATHER MIKE

Today's gospel is one of my favorite passages as it was the gospel from my ordination Mass. The part that still resonates with me is the line, "It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you." I love it when people ask me why I became a priest because it gives me a chance to give my testimony of how God called me to be your shepherd. When I quit my engineering job in Indianapolis when I was 23 years old, it was not because I decided to make a career change after weighing the pros and cons of such a move. Rather, after months of prayer and speaking to friends and spiritual directors, I went through a discernment process of coming to realize what was already planted into my heart. Even today, I could give you some compelling reasons as to why I should not be a priest—and I imagine some of you could as well! But the only reason I needed, and the thing that still rings true, is that I know in my heart, my soul, and even deep in my gut that this was what God chose for me to be. My prayer is that you have a sense of God's plan for your life as well. Please know my ministry is always striving to help you better understand and appreciate his call for your life. It's a powerful thing to know that each of us has been specially created and chosen by God, and this is what makes our life fruitful!



## SOLEMNITY OF THE ASCENSION

Since 1999, the United Conference of Catholic Bishops has allowed American dioceses to move the Solemnity of the Ascension, normally 40 days after Easter or on the Thursday of the Sixth Week of the Easter Season, to the following Sunday. Most dioceses, including Lafayette, has chosen that option, while a few, including some larger East Coast dioceses, did not. Both are marked on various calendars, including the free ones given out at the parish. So we are celebrating Ascension in 2018 on Sunday, May 13.

### **WOMEN OF FAITH**

Erica Crist is seeking other women of the parish interested in being part of a small faith group, study group, or get together over lunch, or other forms of support and/or fellowship. She can be contacted at [bugecrist@yahoo.com](mailto:bugecrist@yahoo.com) or call or text her at 574-242-0206.

### **DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN (DCCW)**

The Logansport Deanery of the DCCW will meet on Mon, May 14 at St. Patrick Church, Kokomo. Registration will be 9:30am in the parish office. The Province Director will be present to interact with the spirituality, family, legislative, community commissions. The meeting includes Mass and the rosary. Contact Miriam Scheetz by Wed, May 9 at 574-889-2895.

### **SCOUT RELIGIOUS AWARDS TRAINING**

The Diocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting will offer free Adult Counselor Training for adults and parents interested in Girl Scout and Boy Scout Religious Awards on Sat, May 19 at St. Joan of Arc Church in Kokomo. Breakfast / registration starts at 8:30am with training 9:00am-12:00pm. Award books will be available for sale. Contact Marcia Eckstein at 765-457-4747 or [marcia0709@comcast.net](mailto:marcia0709@comcast.net). Registration deadline is Tue, May 15.

**PLEASE  
PRAY  
FOR**



Matt Crist, Bill Manikowski, Christine Fox, Sherry Hunneshagen, Dick Keller, Carol Earnest, Ellen Walsh, Brie Armstrong, Amber Wilson, Lucas Brown, Bill Wagner, Don Beech, Marsha Crist Gearhart, Shelagh Wise, Gloria Kontor, David Rans, Kelly Hiatt, Janet Schutter, Cyndy Raymond.

*Call the St. Joseph Parish Office with any changes to the prayer list at 574-223-2808.*