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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

Two weeks ago we heard the Gospel story of how the relatives of Jesus wanted to come and take Him home because they were convinced that He had lost His mind. It is found in the Gospel of Saint Mark 3:20-35. A recent issue of the Vatican newspaper offered a summary of Pope Francis' reflection on this Gospel passage. He said that this Gospel passage "speaks to us about another, very different misunderstanding with regard to Jesus—that of His brethren. They were worried, because His new itinerant life seemed folly to them. In fact, He exhibited such openness toward the people, especially toward the sick and toward sinners, to the extent that He did not even have time to eat. Jesus was like that: people first; serving people; helping people; teaching people; healing people. He was for the people. He did not even have time to eat. Thus, His brethren decided to take Him back home to Nazareth. His brethren came to the place where Jesus was teaching and they sent to Him and called Him. He was told Your mother and Your brethren are asking for You; and looking around He said, 'Here are My mother and My Brethren! Whoever does the will of God is My brother, and sister, and mother.'

Jesus formed a new family, no longer based on natural ties, but on faith in Him, on His love which welcomes us and unites us to each other in the Holy Spirit.

All those who welcome Jesus' word are children of God and brothers and sisters among themselves....Jesus' response was not a lack of respect for His mother and His brethren. Rather, for Mary it is the greatest recognition, precisely because she herself is the perfect disciple who completely obeyed God's will. May the Virgin Mother help us to live always in communion with Jesus, recognizing the work of the Holy Spirit Who acts in Him and in the Church, regenerating the world to new life."

It seems to me that the Pope is inviting each one of us who profess our faith in Christ to be bold enough to put that faith into action. Each of us is called to volunteer our time, talent and treasure. It is not an action we undertake in order to show ourselves to be better than others. It is an inner desire to share something of the blessings we have received in such a way that restores another's hope and confidence in themselves. It is an acknowledgement that without each other we cannot fulfill the mission that faith imparts to us; and with one another we can come to a deeper appreciation and celebration of the life and love that God has granted us all. May the Lord bless your efforts to accomplish that task.

Peace be with you, Monsignor

Parish Information

	Monday 6/25/2018	Tuesday 6/26/2018	Wednesday 6/27/2018	Thursday 6/28/2018	Friday 6/29/2018	Saturday 6/30/2018
St. Mary	NO MASS	NO MASS	NO MASS	8:00 AM Teresa Ann Ballart	NO MASS	2:30-3:30 Confessions
St. Ambrose	NO MASS	8:00 AM Suzann O'Connor	NO MASS	NO MASS	8:00 AM Poor Souls	4:00-5:00 Confessions
Other Locations			11:30 AM St. Vincent Hospital Veniero Ippolito		10:30 AM Lindberg Crossing Timothy Vores	

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

June 30th & July 1st	Sat. 4:00 PM St. Mary	Sat. 5:30 PM St. Ambrose	Sun. 7:30 AM St. Mary	Sun. 9:30 AM St. Ambrose	Sun. 11:30 AM St. Mary
Mass Intentions	Dorothy Metzger	Pro Populo	Beata Kincaid Brovich	Roger Chezem	Jose Venegas
Reader	Pat Pitcher	Ron Bollman	Marica Murphy	Angie Pitts	Juan Briones
Eucharistic Ministers	Carol Cukrowitz S. Schipp Joan Sauter Joetta Allison Sister Eileen H	Mark Loose H Regina Albrecht Stephanie Metz	Betty Bush Joe Lambert Carol Buckner Ron Buckner Amy Sczesny H	Mary Lamper H Henry Lamper H Steve Culp V. Hernandez Greg Kalisz Barb Pittsford	Mayra Sierra Juana Sanjuan Deyda Valenzuela Francisco Cazares Moises Cazares H
Servers	Tania Clore Tori Clore Kayla Smith	Volunteers	Carolyn Pitts Irv Noll	Karina Gonzalez Jonathan Gonzalez	Daniela Flores Jose Ibarra Mya Ibarra

PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



Stewardship

St. Ambrose	\$ 6,186
YTD	\$ 198,976
NTD	\$ 312,000

ST. Mary	\$ 7,415
YTD	\$ 238,754
NTD	\$ 432,000
Renovation Fund	\$ 930(\$115,146 of \$330K)

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On Line Giving— visit us at the following:

St. Ambrose—[https:// www.osvonlinegiving.com/272](https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/272)

St. Mary—<https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/13>

Dates To Remember—August 25th Friends of the Poor Tenderloin Fry at the K of C 5-7:30 PM.
September 15th Friends of the Poor Walk at Highland Middle School Track
Registration at 11 AM-Walk at 12 Noon.

Fruitful Harvest

Current pledge balances must be received and **posted** no later than September 1, 2018 in the Fruitful Harvest Office. If you wish to make a gift electronically please visit the diocesan website at www.dol-in.org. Thank you for your continued stewardship and prayers to your parish. A link is also available on our website at www.stambrosestmary.org.

Support Seminarian Fund

Just a quick note to let you know that in an effort to make it easier for parishioners to **make an electronic donation** to the 2018 Seminarian Fund Appeal via Faith Direct, a new “button” has been added to the Diocesan home page (www.dol-in.org). Contributed at St. Ambrose \$2,030; at St. Mary—\$2,252.

Knights of Columbus News

The Columbian Hall will be closed after the end of June until the end of August so that we can set up for our rummage sale and clean the hall. Donations for the rummage sale can be brought to the hall starting the 9th of July. Call Joe Lambert (606-8711) or Mike Wulle (621-1145) prior to you dropping rummage off at the hall to make sure someone is there. To set up a pick-up of donations, call Joe Lambert at 606-8711. The sale will take place at the hall on August 9th thru August 12th. Thank you for your support.

Frassati Summer Fest 2018-To The Heights!

The Frassati Society invites all young adults to come away for a weekend, and enter into an adventure, an encounter, and experience the renewal of the Lord. With Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati as our patron, the Frassati Society chooses to follow his example of living a life of adventure “to the Heights.” We hope you will join us! Registration is open now! We are limited to the first 100 people that register, so make sure to reserve your spot early! Sign me up at (<http://frassati.org/events/summer-fest-2018/>)

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Eucharistic Adoration

St. Ambrose Adoration will be July 1st. It will begin after the 9:30 AM Mass. It will close with the Rosary and Benediction at 4:00 PM.

St. Mary Adoration is not taking place on Thursdays for the months of July and August. It will resume after Labor Day in September.

Santa Maria No vamos a tener Adoracion del Santissima los jueves durante los meses de julio y agosto. Se reanudará después del Día del Trabajo en septiembre.

RCIA– Will not meet during the month of July.

We will see you again, August 7th, and Tuesdays thereafter.

Pre-planning Your Funeral Liturgy— Did you know that you can prepare for the Mass of Christian Burial ahead of time? You can select the readings and music and help your family understand your wishes for your final liturgy. Often families don't talk about this ahead of time, but the funeral liturgy offers the comfort of Mother Church to her grieving children and declares the truth of our faith to all that "...life is changed, not ended." If you would like to discuss or have any questions, feel free to call either Rectory. St. Mary - Janice ext. 312; Lawson ext. 323 or St. Ambrose - Harriett ext. 202.

Please Pray For all those who are ill or injured, especially the sick and elderly in our parishes.

The Military in the Middle East: Josh Fisher, son of Gary and Kathy; Pfc. Cole Gillespie Army Infantry, son of David & Samantha Gillespie; Pvt. Jalen Lewis US Army, son of Stephanie Akin; Specialist Mark Schulten, Sergeant Joseph Schulten, Matthew Schulten HM3, grandsons of Cathy Thompson; Michael Shane Carter Air Force, grandson of Marllon and Emily Carter; Lance Corporal Brock Acra stationed in Okinawa Japan US Marine Corp, son of Greg and Sonia Acra. Specialist Clayton Keogh, US Army, grandson of Tim and Maryfrances Kincaid. YN3 Tyler Brock, son of Karen (O'Connor) Brock.

If you have a family member who is in the service and called to active duty and would like to add their name to a list for special prayers, please call the rectory and give us this information. Let us pray for **PEACE World Wide**. God Bless us all!

Need Prayer Intentions

Parishioners of St. Ambrose and St. Mary will pray for you and your special intentions. Call Betty Worden (642-0824). You do not have to give your name. Call Betty if you can help with the prayer line.

Weekly Scriptures:

Sun. Is 49:1-6, Acts 13:22-26, Lk 1:57-66, 80; **Mon.** 2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18, Mt 7:1-5; **Tues.** 2 Kgs 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36, Mt 7:6, 12-14; **Wed.** 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3, Mt 7:15-20; **Thurs.** 2 Kgs 24:8-17, Mt 7:21-29; **Fri.** Acts 12:1-11, 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18, Mt 16:13-19; **Sat.** Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19, Mt 8:5-17

*“I Praise You for I am wonderfully made.”
(Psalm 139:1)*

OUTREACH

Mass Requests

Masses will **ONLY BE SCHEDULED** on a quarterly basis. We need to provide open dates for unexpected events or deaths to allow everyone the freedom of requesting Masses. So, for example, starting in July requests will only be accepted for Masses from July thru September. The Masses that have already been requested for 2018 will be honored. The Mass stipend is \$10.00 per Mass. If paying by check please make check payable to St. Ambrose Mass Stipends or St. Mary Mass Stipends **ONLY**. If you have any questions about this please speak to one of the priests.

St. Vincent de Paul

Is in need of new or used twin sheets. Please place them in any SVDP basket at either parish. Thank you for your generosity.

ENL– English Now and Later classes will end for the Summer on Tuesday, June 26. Classes will resume on Tuesday, August 7th. If you have any questions please contact Mary Rhoten @ 765-617-1791 or 765-387-0138.

Soup Kitchen

The Catholic Community of Anderson can use your help serving Vegetable-Beef soup, cheese and crackers, and fruit on Wednesday, June 27th at Alternative Shelter for Women and Children from 11:45 AM-12:45 PM, and the Christian Center Shelter from 4:15 PM - 6:15 PM.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Parish Directories— In August and September, you will have an opportunity to have your family portrait taken by a professional photographer and be included in the parish Community Connect program. You and your family will be able to receive a complimentary 8 x 10 photo, purchase additional photos, receive senior and military discounts and also receive a complimentary printed and mobile directory. This new program enables us to update new pictures every year up to 4 years, if you choose. Each year you will receive a new directory, even if you don't update your own picture. Look for more information regarding signup.

Parish Census– It is time to update our parish census. Look for the forms in the next few weeks to complete for you and your family. We appreciate everyone's participation in the census.





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Positions Available

Holy Cross School has a position available in the cafeteria at the South campuses. If you are interested, please call the St. Ambrose Rectory at (765) 644-5956.

Holy Cross School is accepting enrollment for the 2018-19 school year. We welcome parishioners and their children to join the Holy Cross School family. Contact one of the school offices listed above. Make Catholic education a tradition in your family!

Young Church

All High School Youth

Service Hours are available this summer.

Volunteer for VBS service hours June 25-29, 4 hours per day! Variety of jobs available.

Please call or text 317-989-5941 and be sure to include your name with message or email Janice at janicestorey9@gmail.com to get details and participate.

Sunday Religious Education
 Clases de catecismo dominical

Classes have concluded for this school year! You may register for next year by contacting Janice or Lawson at 644-8467 or Gaby at 635-6348. Remember that if you are planning to prepare for First Communion or Confirmation that you must register for Sunday Religious Education **at least one year in advance**. A minimum of one year in a Catholic School or Sunday Religious Education is required prior to your sacramental year. All students in elementary school are encouraged to register to continue their formation.

¡ las clases han concluido para este año escolar! Puede inscribirse para el próximo año poniéndose en contacto con Janice o Lawson al 644-8467 o Gaby al 635-6348. Recuerde que si usted está planeando prepararse para la primera comunión o confirmación que usted debe registrarse para la educación religiosa dominical **por lo menos un año de antelación**. Un mínimo de un año en una escuela católica o domingo de educación religiosa se requiere antes de su año sacramental. Todos los estudiantes en la escuela primaria son animados a registrarse para continuar su formación.

DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

Hace dos semanas escuchamos la historia del Evangelio de cómo los parientes de Jesús querían venir y llevarlo a casa porque estaban convencidos de que había perdido la razón. Se encuentra en el Evangelio de San Marcos 3: 20-35. Un número reciente del periódico del Vaticano ofreció un resumen de la reflexión del Papa Francisco sobre este pasaje del Evangelio. Dijo que este pasaje del Evangelio "nos habla acerca de otro malentendido muy diferente con respecto a Jesús: el de Sus hermanos. Estaban preocupados, porque su nueva vida itinerante les parecía una locura. De hecho, Él exhibió tal apertura hacia la gente, especialmente hacia los enfermos y hacia los pecadores, en la medida en que Él ni siquiera tuvo tiempo para comer. Jesús era así: la gente primero; sirviendo a la gente; ayudando gente. Enseñar a la gente; curando personas. Él era para la gente. Él ni siquiera tuvo tiempo para comer. Por lo tanto, Sus hermanos decidieron llevarlo a su hogar en Nazaret. Sus hermanos llegaron al lugar donde Jesús estaba enseñando y lo enviaron a Él y lo llamaron. Le dijeron a tu madre y tus hermanos te preguntan por ti; y mirando alrededor, dijo: "¡Aquí están Mi madre y mis hermanos! Quien hace la voluntad de Dios es mi hermano, mi hermana y mi madre".

Jesús formó una nueva familia, que ya no se basa en lazos naturales, sino en la fe en Él, en su amor que nos acoge y nos une el uno al otro, en el Espíritu Santo. Todos los que acogen la palabra de Jesús son hijos de Dios y hermanos y hermanas entre sí ... La respuesta de Jesús no fue una falta de respeto por su madre y por sus hermanos. Más bien, para María es el mayor reconocimiento, precisamente porque ella misma es la discípula perfecta que obedeció por completo la voluntad de Dios. Que la Virgen Madre nos ayude a vivir siempre en comunión con Jesús, reconociendo la obra del Espíritu Santo que actúa en Él y en la Iglesia, regenerando el mundo para una nueva vida".

Me parece que el Papa está invitando a cada uno de nosotros que profesamos nuestra fe en Cristo a ser lo suficientemente audaces para poner esa fe en acción. Cada uno de nosotros está llamado a ofrecer voluntariamente nuestro tiempo, talento y tesoro. No es una acción que emprendamos para mostrarnos mejores que otros. Es un deseo interno de compartir algo de las bendiciones que hemos recibido de tal manera que restaura la esperanza y la confianza de los demás en sí mismos. Es un reconocimiento de que sin los demás no podemos cumplir la misión que la fe nos imparte; y entre nosotros podemos apreciar y celebrar más profundamente la vida y el amor que Dios nos ha otorgado a todos. Que el Señor bendiga tus esfuerzos para lograr esa tarea. La paz sea contigo, Monseñor

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