



**Twenty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
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# St. Ambrose and

# St. Mary

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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

In a recent Sunday allocution in Rome, Pope Francis stated; “Saint Paul addresses an urgent invitation to us: ‘Do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, in whom you were sealed for the day of redemption,’ (Eph. 4:30) But I ask myself: how does the Holy Spirit become saddened? We all receive Him in Baptism and Confirmation. Thus, in order not to sadden the Holy Spirit, it is necessary to live in a manner consistent with the promises of Baptism that are renewed in Confirmation....The promises of Baptism have two aspects: rejecting evil and clinging to good.

“Rejecting evil means saying ‘no’ to temptation, to sin, to Satan. More concretely, it means saying ‘no’ to a culture of death that manifests itself in escaping from reality towards a false happiness that is expressed in lies, deceit, injustice and in despising others....The new life given to us in Baptism has the Spirit as its wellspring and rejects any behavior dominated by feelings of division and discord.

“...But it is not enough to refrain from doing evil in order to be a good Christian. It is necessary to cling to good and to do good....How many people do no evil but, at the same time, do no good, and their life goes by in in

difference, apathy and tepidness....’It is good to do no evil but it is evil to do no good.’ Saint Alberto Hurtado used to say this. Today I urge you to be protagonists in good!....It is not enough to refrain from hate. One must forgive. It is not enough to refrain from bearing grudges. One must pray for one’s enemies. It is not enough to refrain from causing division. We must bring peace where there is none. It is not enough to refrain from speaking ill of others. We must interrupt when we hear others speaking gossip...If we do not oppose evil, we feed it tacitly. It is necessary to intervene where evil spreads because evil spreads in the absence of audacious Christians who oppose it with good, walking in love. (Eph.5:2)”

Once again, the Holy Father challenges each of us to reflect within our heart how committed we are to living our faith; to being persons of action and not just thought. When we try to fulfill the call of Christ to be His messengers throughout the world, we begin to realize the abiding gift of His Presence within and among us. May each of us seek to bring to life the Word of the Lord so that the Kingdom of the Father may be found in our midst.

Peace be with you, Monsignor

## Parish Information

|                            | <b>Monday<br/>9/10/2018</b>      | <b>Tuesday<br/>9/11/2018</b>  | <b>Wednesday<br/>9/12/2018</b>                               | <b>Thursday<br/>9/13/2018</b> | <b>Friday<br/>9/14/2018</b>                            | <b>Saturday<br/>9/15/2018</b> |
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| <b>St. Mary</b>            | NO MASS                          | 8:00 AM<br>Mary Ann<br>Nivens | NO MASS  | 8:10 AM<br>Timothy<br>Vores   | NO MASS  | 2:30-3:30<br>Confessions      |
| <b>St. Ambrose</b>         | 11:00<br>Mary Monica<br>Duquaine | 8:00 AM<br>Roger<br>Chezem    | 8:00 AM<br>Susan<br>Fredericks                               | 8:00 AM<br>Edward<br>Bollman  | 8:10AM<br>Daniel<br>Duquaine                           | 4:00-5:00<br>Confessions      |
| <b>Other<br/>Locations</b> |                                  |                               | 11:30 AM<br>St. Vincent<br>Hospital<br><br>Susan<br>Frossard |                               | 10:30 AM<br>Keystone<br>Woods<br><br>Richard<br>Worden |                               |

## Liturgical Ministers Schedule

| <b>September<br/>15th &amp; 16th</b> | <b>Sat. 4:00 PM<br/>St. Mary</b>                                | <b>Sat. 5:30 PM<br/>St. Ambrose</b>               | <b>Sun. 7:30 AM<br/>St. Mary</b>  | <b>Sun. 9:30 AM<br/>St. Ambrose</b>  | <b>Sun. 11:30 AM<br/>St. Mary</b>   |
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| <b>Mass<br/>Intentions</b>           | Pro Populo  | Raymond Novak                                     | Beata Kincaid<br>Brovich  | Cipredo Alvarez  | Teresa Ann<br>Ballart   |
| <b>Reader</b>                        | Lawson<br>Hunsicker   | Mark Loose  | Josh Noll   | Mike Scheckelhoff  | Moises Cazares  |
| <b>Eucharistic<br/>Ministers</b>     | Joanna Greene<br>Mike Scott<br>Joetta Allison<br>Linda Schipp H | Donna Pine H<br>Cathy Thompson<br>Regina Albrecht | Tim Kincaid<br>M. Kincaid<br>Linda Ratliff<br>Lea Papai<br>Dave Papai H | Hannah Brownell H<br>Steve Culp H<br>Rebecca Degitz<br>Chris Harrold<br>Lynn Hensley<br>Bacilio Montes | Roberto Arciga<br>Rosa Fisher<br>Daniel Flores<br>Virginia Ramirez<br>Y. St.Clair H |
| <b>Servers</b>                       | Katie Greene<br>Michael Smith<br>Kayla Smith                    | Volunteers  | Irv Noll<br>Carolyn Pitts   | Vanessa Harrold<br>Vincent Ibarra  | F. Cazares<br>Felipe Lopez<br>C. Ramirez  |

## PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



### Stewardship

**St. Ambrose**      \$ 14,444  
 YTD                    \$ 288,450  
 NTD                    \$ 455,000

**ST. Mary**            \$ 14,761  
 YTD                    \$ 343,808  
 NTD                    \$ 630,000  
 Renovation Fund      1,460 (\$127,953 of \$330 K)

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

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

**Dates To Remember**—September 15th Friends of the Poor Walk at Highland Middle School Track  
 Registration at 11 AM-Walk at 12 Noon.

September 16th Wedding anniversary Mass for Diocese at Cathedral 2:30 PM. (Fulfills  
 Sunday obligation.)

September 30th Monsignor Sell's 40th Anniversary Celebration (Chairlift is available to  
 access the Ambrosian Hall- St. Ambrose cafeteria. Sign up sheets will be at all  
 Masses September 16th and 23th for estimated headcount.)

### **St. Vincent de Paul**

Will be at the Church doors to accept your donations next weekend, please remember the needy in our  
 community.

### **FRIENDS OF THE POOR WALK-SEPTEMBER 15TH**

Come see what's new at this year's Walk! We will have pony rides for the kids and a petting zoo that  
 includes bunnies, goats and llamas. For Mom and Dad, we will have a booth of "Undiscovered Treasures"  
 (like a flea market). Finally, we have more than 200 door prizes to give away. They are from local restaurants  
 (Bobbers, IHop, Scampy's, The Curve, McDonald's, White Castle). This is in addition to the pie shop, flower  
 sale, silent auction, pumpkin decorating, walking tacos and more.

### **Pies, Pies and More**

Please consider donating pies or other baked goods for the "Friends of the Poor" walk. We will accept  
 all baked goods the day of the walk between 11:00-Noon September 15th, at Highland Middle School.

**Mother Seton Ladies** will meet for the 11:00 AM Mass on September 10th, followed by lunch at Perkin's.

### **Senior Luncheon**

There will be a senior luncheon on Sept. 21st. in the Holy Cross North School Annex. The entrée will  
 be provided by Bethany Pointe and there will be a speaker to talk about senior care issues.

## **Choir Rehearsal for Monsignor's 40th Anniversary Celebration**

There will be a special choir for Monsignor's 40th Anniversary celebration on Sunday, September 30th. The choir will sing at the 7:30 AM Mass at St. Mary and the 9:30 Mass at St. Ambrose. Even if you do not currently participate in the music ministry at either parish, you are welcome to join us. Rehearsals are at 9:00 AM Sundays at St. Mary. There will be special rehearsal at St. Ambrose Saturday, September 15th and September 22nd at 6:30 PM. You only need to attend one rehearsal to sing with us!

## **Eucharistic Adoration**

**St. Mary Adoration** is on Thursdays from 2:00 to 7:00 PM.

**Santa Maria** la Adoración de Santa Maria es los jueves de 2:00 a 7:00 PM.

**RCIA**—Meet on Tuesdays at 6:30 PM, in the Holy Cross North School Annex.

## **Announcement**

### **Celebrating Christian Marriage: 2018 Anniversary Mass with Bishop Doherty**

All married couples of the diocese celebrating significant marriage anniversaries in 2018 are invited to attend a special Mass on Sunday, September 16, at the Cathedral of St. Mary of the Immaculate Conception in Lafayette to celebrate their years of Christian Marriage. During the liturgy, Bishop Doherty will offer a special anniversary blessing. The Anniversary Mass will begin at 2:30 PM (EDT) and will fulfill the Sunday obligation. Immediately following Mass, Bishop Doherty will greet couples at a reception of light refreshments.

To assist in Preparation, please contact Charlene Kuhn at [ckuhn@dol-in.org](mailto:ckuhn@dol-in.org) or register with the Office of Divine Worship online at [www.dol-in.org/AnniversaryMass](http://www.dol-in.org/AnniversaryMass) or call 765-269-4600.

## **That Man Is You (TMIY)**

Will begin its Fall Semester on September 15th. It is a coming together of men 18 and over from both parishes, honestly addressing the pressures and temptations that men face in our modern culture, especially those relating to their roles as husbands and fathers. The program harmonizes current social and medical science with the teachings of the Church and the wisdom of the saints, to develop the vision of man fully alive! The weekly meetings are held at the Columbian Hall (K of C behind the Toast Restaurant at 1225 Main St.) on Saturday mornings at 6:00 AM with breakfast, followed by a video presentation, and discussion. For more information call Mike Evans at (765)602-0306.

### **Week 1—The Vision of Man Fully Alive**

- Speaker: Fr. Dave Pivonka
- A Completely New TMIY Program
- Nine Dynamic New Speakers
- New Topics
- New Approach
- “Three Foods” Essential to the Spiritual Life

**A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** gives you the time and tools to revitalize romance, deepen communication and nourish the spirituality in your Sacrament. Future weekends will be at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House, Indianapolis, on 19th-21st of October 2018 and 26th-28th of April 2019. For more information call Ann & Ken Butt (317)863-5680 or email at [kenannme@comcast.net](mailto:kenannme@comcast.net).

## **Weekly Scriptures:**

**Sun.** Is 35:4-7a, Jas 2:1-5, Mk 7:31-37; **Mon.** 1 Cor 5:1-8, Lk 6:6-11; **Tues.** 1 Cor 6:1-11, Lk 6:12-19; **Wed.** 1 Cor 7:25-31, Lk 6:20-26; **Thurs.** 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13, Lk 6:27-38; **Fri.** Nm 21:4b-9, Phil 2:6-11, Jn 3:13-17; **Sat.** 1 Cor 10:14-22, Jn 19:25-27

## OUTREACH

**WE'RE BACK!! FAIR TRADE COFFEE, TEA AND CHOCOLATE WILL BE SOLD AFTER ALL MASSES ON SEPTEMBER 23/24 IN ST. MARY CHURCH ANNEX.** In addition to our regular delicious items, we are adding a new coffee—Mamma Tierra. Equal Exchange and Catholic Relief Services have encountered each other for years while working in various farm communities—El Salvador, Mexico and elsewhere. This partnership is being taken to a new level with the introduction of CRS branded Mamma Tierra coffee from the CEPCO cooperative in Oxaca, Mexico, where they have worked together for years. For each package purchased CRS will receive a \$2 contribution. Come check it out!

### **Prayers 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.

**ENL**— English Now and Later classes are on Tuesdays, at 9:30 AM in the school Annex. If you have any questions please contact Mary Rhoten @ 765-617-1791 or 765-387-0138.

The **Catholic Community of Anderson Soup Kitchen Ministry** is in need of men and women willing to prepare soup for the Soup Kitchen Ministry. There are several openings at this time. All Supplies are furnished. You prepare the soup at home and return the soup to Holy Cross North school annex. For more information call Ron Cole at 779-4302

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Parish Directories**—Please schedule your appointment **now** on-line at [www.stambroestmary.org](http://www.stambroestmary.org). Follow the links to have your picture taken at St. Mary to be in either directory.

St. Mary School Annex—September 11,12,13,14,15; and September 18th thru 22nd.

If you do not have access to a computer, please call either parish. Harriett or Anita will assist you with scheduling your appointment.

**Parish Census**—Please don't forget to fill out your census form that was in the bulletin. We appreciate everyone's participation in the census; it assists us in updating information for the diocese. We need your updated information for the parish directory.

**Directorios parroquiales**— Programe su cita ahora en línea en [www.stambroestmary.org](http://www.stambroestmary.org). Siga los enlaces para tomarse una foto en Santa Maria para estar en el directorio de cualquiera parroquia.

Anexo de la escuela St. Mary—11,12,13,14,15 de septiembre y del 18 al 22 septiembre.

Si no tiene acceso a una computadora, llame a cualquiera de las parroquias y Harriett o Anita lo ayudaran con su cita.

### **Censo Parroquial**

No olvide completar su formulario de censo que recibió en el bulletin. Agradecemos la participación de todos en el censo para asistir con information para la dioecese. Necesitamos su informacion por el directorio del parroquia.

### **October is Respect Life Month**

On October 14th, come and hear Palliative Medicine expert, Dr. Natalie Roddens, from St. Anthony Hospital in Westminster, Colorado talk about how we can make sure that pain management, end of life and advanced illness decisions made on our behalf or that of our loved ones, are consistent with the Catholic beliefs. ? This will take place at Our Lady of Mount Carmel, in the St. Thomas Aquinas Room at 10:40 AM. All attendees will receive FREE copy of a Catholic Guide to Health Care Directives.



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*United in faith and rooted in Catholic identity, Holy Cross School encourages students to achieve their personal best in academics and model Christ in service and faith.*

The Holy Cross School Middle School Band has grown. We are in need of 3 trumpets, 2 alto saxophones, and 1 snare drum. If you have one of these and/or would like to donate to the band program, please contact the school office at 765-642-1848.

**Golf Outing**— On Sunday, October 7th Catholic Schools of Anderson will have the Annual Charity Golf Outing at the Edgewood Golf Course. Registration and lunch will begin at 12:00 PM and a shotgun start at 1:00 PM. The cost is **\$50 per person** and includes green fees, cart and lunch. Drinks will be available during the outing and are included in the entry fee. There will be prizes for the top 2 teams. Proceeds will go toward math incentives, educational fieldtrips and end of the year field day. Your tax-deductible contribution of \$100 to sponsor one hole will help make our outing a success. Your business name will be prominently displayed on the course, in a handout given to all participants, and in the church bulletin. Entry forms can be found at both school offices. Mail team entry and/or hole sponsor checks payable to Holy Cross School to: Holy Cross School, Attention Golf Outing, 2825 Lincoln St. Anderson, IN 46016. If you have questions please call the south campus at 642-8428 or the north campus 642-1848.

## Young Church

Anderson Catholic Young Church  
 High School Youth are invited to gather at the assembly hall at St Ambrose on Sunday, September 16th from 2-3:30 PM. Hope to see you there!

## Sunday Religious Education

SRE Class Sunday, Sept 16th and 23rd—10:35-11:25 @ Holy Cross North

## Clases de Catecismo Dominical

Clases de catecismo dominical, 16 Y 23 de septiembre-10:35-11:25 @Holy Cross North

## DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

En una reciente alocución dominical en Roma, el Papa Francisco afirmó; "San Pablo nos dirige una invitación urgente: 'No entristezcáis al Espíritu Santo de Dios, en quien fuisteis sellados para el día de la redención' (Efesios 4:30) Pero me pregunto a mí mismo: ¿cómo se convierte el Espíritu Santo? ¿entristecido? Todos lo recibimos en el Bautismo y la Confirmación. Por lo tanto, para no entristecer al Espíritu Santo, es necesario vivir de acuerdo con las promesas del Bautismo que se renuevan en la Confirmación ... Las promesas del Bautismo tienen dos aspectos: rechazar el mal y aferrarse al bien.

"Rechazar el mal significa decir 'no' a la tentación, al pecado, a Satanás. Más concretamente, significa decir 'no' a una cultura de la muerte que se manifiesta al escapar de la realidad hacia una felicidad falsa que se expresa en mentiras, engaños, injusticias y en despreciar a los demás ... La nueva vida que se nos ha dado en el Bautismo tiene El espíritu como su fuente y rechaza cualquier comportamiento dominado por sentimientos de división y discordia.

"... Pero no es suficiente abstenerse de hacer el mal para ser un buen cristiano. Es necesario aferrarse al bien y hacer el bien .... Cuántas personas no hacen el mal pero, al mismo tiempo, no sirven, y su vida transcurre con indiferencia, apatía y tibieza .... "Es bueno no hacer nada. el mal, pero es malo no hacer el bien. "San Alberto Hurtado solía decir esto. ¡Hoy los exhorto a ser protagonistas en el bien! ... No es suficiente abstenerse del odio. Uno debe perdonar. No es suficiente abstenerse de guardar rencor. Uno debe orar por los enemigos de uno. No es suficiente abstenerse de causar división. Debemos traer paz donde no la hay. No es suficiente abstenerse de hablar mal de los demás. Debemos interrumpir cuando escuchamos a otros hablar chismes ... Si no nos oponemos al mal, lo alimentamos tácitamente. Es necesario intervenir donde el mal se difunde porque el mal se propaga en ausencia de cristianos audaces que se oponen con el bien, caminando en amor. (Efesios 5:22)

Una vez más, el Santo Padre nos reta a cada uno de nosotros para que refleje en nuestro corazón cuán comprometidos estamos con vivir nuestra fe; ser personas de acción y no solo pensamiento. Cuando tratamos de cumplir el llamado de Cristo para ser sus mensajeros en todo el mundo, comenzamos a darnos cuenta del don permanente de su presencia dentro y entre nosotros. Que cada uno de nosotros busque dar vida a la Palabra del Señor para que el Reino del Padre se encuentre en medio de nosotros.

La paz sea contigo, Monseñor

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