

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

June 17, 2018

# St. Mark The Evangelist Catholic Church

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Hours: 8:30 a.m. ~ 4:00 p.m.,  
Monday ~ Friday

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## Sacrament of Baptism

Schedule with the Pastor after  
participation in Parish Preparation Program.

## Sacrament of Penance

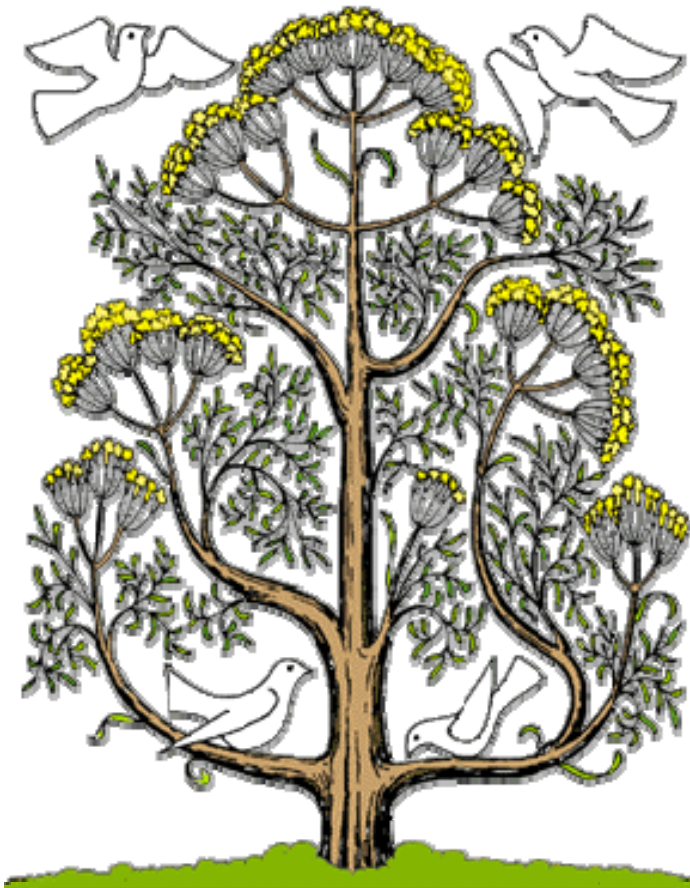
Saturday 4:00 p.m. ~ 5:00 p.m.

## Sacrament of Matrimony

Arrange with Pastor at least six months in  
advance. Participation in all parts of the  
Marriage preparation program is required.

## Sacrament of Healing

If you are hospitalized or home bound and  
in need of sacraments, please call the Parish  
Center.



“But once it is sown, it springs up and becomes the  
largest of plants and puts forth large branches, so that  
the birds of the sky can dwell in its shade.” Mk 4:32

## Mass Schedule

Saturday/Sunday Anticipation 5:30 p.m.

Sunday 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 11:45 a.m.

Tuesday ~ Thursday 9:00 a.m.

Friday 9:00 a.m. (during summer)

Holy Day Masses: 6:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

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## Please Note

Due to the Archdiocesan Priest Convocation from Monday June 18th though Thursday, June 21st, masses will not be celebrated but there will be communion service.

The Parish Center will be closed in the afternoon of Thursday, June 19th or staff training.

## Parish Center Hours

The hours for the Parish Center have changed to 8:30 AM - 4:00 PM, Monday through Friday. The office will be closed for lunch between 12:00 PM and 1:00 PM.

## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, June 17 – ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

7:30 a.m. — Parishioners of St. Mark  
9:30 a.m. — † Darrell Gossett  
11:45 a.m. — † Barry Slavic

### Monday, June 18 - Weekday

9:00 a.m. — Communion Service

### Tuesday, June 19 - Weekday; Saint Romuald

9:00 a.m. — Communion Service

### Wednesday, June 20 - Weekday

9:00 a.m. — Communion Service

### Thursday, June 21 - Saint Aloysius Gonzaga

9:00 a.m. — Communion Service

### Friday, June 22 - Weekday; Saint Paulinus of Nola, Saints John Fisher and Thomas More

9:00 a.m. — Intentions of Rosa Sukcho Lee

### Saturday, June 23 - Anticipation Mass

4:00 p.m. — † Terry Wenzel

### Sunday, June 24 – THE NAVITIY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST

7:30 a.m. — † Ken and Gladys Oberting  
9:30 a.m. — † Morgan Gaither  
11:45 a.m. — Parishioners of St. Mark

## Readings for the Week 06/17/2018 ~ 06/24/2018

Sunday: Ez 17:22-24; Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34

Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42

Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48

Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15

Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23

Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

Sunday: Is 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

# Letter from Archbishop Charles C. Thompson



The Most Reverend Charles C. Thompson  
Archdiocese of Indianapolis  
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317-236-1403

7 June 2018

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Our Archdiocese will take the Peter's Pence Collection (PPC) up on July 1, 2018. This global collection supports the Holy Father as he reaches out in mercy and charity to people who are suffering. Your generosity will help Pope Francis ease the suffering of some of the most marginalized throughout the world and show them the tender love of God.

Pope Francis challenges us to look at those around us with the eyes of mercy. He says, "We encounter so many weary and oppressed people today . . . And how is our heart? Is it merciful? And our way of thinking and acting, is it *inclusive*?" (Jubilee Audience, Nov. 12, 2016). I invite you to reflect on how you feel moved to answer the call to mercy.

In Iraq, many people still live a nightmare of war and violence. This has left many displaced, including young people in the midst of their studies. Without an educated population, it will be difficult for the country to gain stability. But with the support of your diocese to the PPC, the Archdiocese of Erbil, in Iraqi Kurdistan, has received funding for 10 scholarships for young displaced persons. With this help, the students can complete their university education and move forward with the hope of rebuilding their country.

Please prayerfully consider supporting this collection as an act of mercy and charity. Join with our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help Pope Francis reach the most marginalized in our world. For more information about the collection, please visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

Thank you, and may God bless you abundantly.

Sincerely yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Charles C. Thompson  
Archbishop of Indianapolis



## Second Collection

### EDUCATION OF FUTURE ARCHDIOCESAN PRIESTS

June 17, 2018.

The Vocation Office receives funds each year from a second collection taken up throughout the Archdiocese of Indianapolis to cover the expenses of education our future priests. Thank you for your spiritual and financial support which provides the necessary education and formation for our priests. Please be generous in support of this collection and please continue to pray for vocations!

### PETER'S PENCE: July 1, 2018

In two weeks, we will take the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds he needs to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit [www.usccb.org/peters-pence](http://www.usccb.org/peters-pence).

## Happy Father's Day



God our Father, you govern and protect your people and shepherd them with a father's love. You place a father in a family as a sign of your love, care, and constant protection. May fathers everywhere be faithful to the example shown in the Scriptures: steadfast in love,

forgiving transgressions, sustaining the family, caring for those in need. Give your wisdom to fathers that they may encourage and guide their children. Keep them healthy so they may support a family. Guide every father with the Spirit of your love that they may grow in holiness and draw their family ever closer to you.

Amen.

## Parish Life

**NO COFFEE AND DONUTS ON SUNDAY, JUNE 17th IN OBSERVANCE OF FATHER'S DAY.**

**ANNA'S HOUSE:** St. Mark's Women's CRHP team 19 is once again serving dinner at Anna's House, **Wednesday, June 27th, from 5:00pm - 8:00pm.** For more information, please call L aura Linder, 317-294-4080 or Joanie Grooms, 317-694-4323.

**All are welcome!**

**ST. MARK CARD PARTY:** The St. Mark Monthly Card Party will be held in the Narthex on **Thursday, June 28th** starting at 1:00 pm. We play progressive euchre and the cost is \$1.00 to play, which includes refreshments. You are always encouraged to bring a friend. See you there!



**INCLUSION MINISTRY:** Accessibility - Persons with disabilities may not be seen often in stores and other public places if there are no Braille numeral on elevator buttons (for the blind), ramps into a store, or buses that are accessible to people with mobility impairments. People with disabilities adapt and adjust to their limitations; often their communities do not.



### Men's Club Meeting Special Meeting

St. Mark Men's Club meeting will be held on **Thursday, June 21st**. Meeting begins at 8:00 PM for social time with the business part of the meeting at 8:30 PM. We will be voting to approve the revised By-Laws.

We will also have an evening at the ball game, Cubs vs Reds. Hot dogs, nachos and popcorn will be served.

St. Mark's Men's Club is a fraternal organization open to all men over 21 years of age. Our mission is to

"Commit ourselves with generosity for the improvement of our Church, School, and Athletics".

## Q-tips and Cotton Tops

ALL parishioners over 50 are invited to participate in these events.

**June 27** – Under the Sails Concert series at the Eiteljorg Museum presents “The Sounds of Santana”, from 6:00pm - 8:00pm on the grounds of the Eiteljorg.

**July 5** – The Skillman Concert series at the fountain at Greenwood Mall presents Hairbangers. At 6:30pm.

**July 11** – My Yellow Rickshaw at the Eiteljorg, from 6:00pm - 8:00pm.

**July 18** – A Latin Flare at the Eiteljorg, from 6:00pm - 8:00pm.

**July 28** – Mallow Run Winery Picnic Summer Concert Series presents Living Proof, at 5:30pm., on the lawn.

These events involve walking; some on uneven surfaces and stairs.

Eiteljorg Museum, 500 W. Washington St.; these are all FREE concerts. Have your parking ticket validated at the Museum information desk for free parking in the Museum underground garage. Limited seating provided. Bring a folding chair; snacks and non alcoholic beverages permitted. Food and drinks for purchase. Car pool will be available from St. Mark parking lot leaving at 5:00 p.m. OR we'll see you there!

Mallow Run Winery, 6964 N. Whiteland Rd; this one is a FREE concert. Necessary for you to bring a chair or picnic blanket; snacks and non alcoholic beverages are permitted. Food, wine and drinks available for purchase. Car pool available from St. Mark Parking Lot leaving at 4:30 p.m. OR we'll see you there!

Greenwood Mall, Skillman Concert Series, at the Fountain; FREE concert; bring a chair. We will not be car pooling. See you there! If you have any questions, call Wilma Cross (317) 403-8238 or Linda Carde (317) 748-0102.

*“LOVE, JOY AND PEACE” within reach of every hand!*

## Thank you

Kim, loved her St. Mark's family. That love came back to her and her family in many ways when she had to leave us. Thank you to Father Bill, Deacon Tom Horn, Andy Eagan and Ben Briggeman, for the beautiful Liturgy. To Fred, Mary and Sue for our family meal.

Our gratitude to all others who participated and attended.

Peace, The family of Kim Huffman

## Catechesis

### **TOTUS TUS CATHOLIC SUMMER YOUTH CAMP**

**AT ST. BARNABAS:** On June 17-22 from 9:00am-2:30pm for ages 4 -6th grade and Sunday thru Thursday from 7-9pm for grades 7-12

The mission of Totus Tuus is to inspire young people to be disciples of Jesus Christ through a true longing for holiness, a deep desire for daily conversion, and a total openness to their vocation. Participants see this mission accomplished by being challenged to give themselves entirely to Christ through Mary, and by strengthening their prayer lives in imitation of her.

Registration and Volunteer forms are available in the Narthex and Parish Office. For more information, contact Christine Helle, 317-882-0724, x225 or email: chelle@stbindy.org

### **VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** Calling all children ages 4-10

years to join us for VBS on Sunday, June 24th thru Thursday, June 28th from 6:00pm - 8:00pm. Our theme this year is “Putting on the Armor of God”. Cost is \$10/child or \$25 for 3 or more children. To register, visit our Parish Website or contact the Parish Center at 787-8246



x104. For more information, contact Angi Swiezy, aswiezy@stmarkindy.org .

**VOCATIONS:** Serra Club of Indianapolis, a lay Catholic organization, nurtures the call to the priesthood, diaconate and consecrated life throughout the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. If you are interested in supporting Religious Vocations, please consider joining us for our membership dinner and fellowship on **Thursday, June 28th, 5:30pm** at St. Augustine Home on 2345 W 86th St. Please RSVP to Mike Kirk, mkirk@archindy.org or call 317.775.9710. For more information visit www.serraindy.org.

## Faith Wisdom Service



God is your strength in the hour of distress,  
God is your spirit, when you are tensed,  
He lets go of the fear in you,  
so that you get to experience  
everything new.  
because God is within you!

# Annual Mission Appeal

Next weekend, **June 23rd and 24th**, will have the Annual Mission Appeal Collection. This year's guest will come from the Franciscan Missionary Brothers, a group of religious Brothers, founded in India in 1901 by Brother Hermann Paulus Moritz, to work in places where Catholics are a minority. The Brothers have their missions in the poorest parts of the world: India, Sri Lanka, Paraguay, Bolivia, Ghana, and Kenya. The Brothers primarily work among the non-Christians preaching the Gospel and bringing them to the Catholic fold. In addition to preaching the Gospel, the Brothers are trying to establish Catholic Elementary and High Schools, open new mission centers, provide potable water, work with rural women for their empowerment, people infected with leprosy, HIV/AIDS, sponsor children's homes and orphanages, formation of laity and religious, as well as youth ministry and catechesis.



The second collection next weekend will go to the Franciscan Missionary Brothers to be used for the missionary apostolate of the Congregation. In addition to your prayers for the continuation of the missionaries' good works, your generous contribution is greatly appreciated. Thank you in advance for welcoming our Franciscan speaker, Brother Victor G. Stanislaus (Visit [www.cmsfbros.org](http://www.cmsfbros.org) for more information).

Here is some information about Saint Meinrad, which you may find useful in your remarks during the Saint Meinrad Sunday.

- ◆ Saint Meinrad's commitment to priestly formation began in 1857. Over the intervening years, more than 4,300 alumni have become priests. Currently, more than 1,500 Saint Meinrad alumni serve the Church as priests throughout the world.
- ◆ In addition, nearly 7,000 lay alumni are serving the Church and society in many different vocations. Men and women in lay ministry, both professional and volunteer, have benefited from receiving a quality education at Saint Meinrad.
- ◆ Saint Meinrad has served the needs of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis for many years. There are 128 active and retired priests of the Archdiocese (including Archbishop Thompson), 60 permanent deacons, 17 religious, and 616 lay people who are alumni of Saint Meinrad.
- ◆ Saint Meinrad began the 2017-18 school year with an enrollment of 112 seminarians representing 35 dioceses and religious communities. The Archdiocese of Indianapolis currently has 9 seminarians studying at Saint Meinrad.
- ◆ The Seminary and School of Theology offers several programs to meet the ministerial needs of the Church. Men preparing for the priesthood pursue the Master of Divinity degree and Master of Arts (Catholic Philosophical Studies).
- ◆ Men and women who are seeking to serve the Church as lay ministers study for the Master of Arts (Theology). Saint Meinrad also provides a permanent deacon formation program to 8 dioceses, and offers year-round retreats for those looking for spiritual nourishment.
- ◆ Each summer, hundreds of high school and college youth participate in the "One Bread, One Cup" conferences. They learn more about their Catholic faith and develop skills they can use when they return to their home parishes.
- ◆ Today the monastic community of about 85 priests and brothers serves the Catholic Church in a variety of ways. Besides their work in the Seminary and School of Theology, monks are serving as chaplains, as faculty at other institutions, and at parishes in several dioceses.

Located in southern Indiana, a mile south of I-64 between exits 72 and 63, Saint Meinrad is less than three hours from Indianapolis. Visitors are always welcome at Saint Meinrad Archabbey.



## Calendar of Events

## Community

### Sunday, June 17, 2018

- MASS - Church (7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:45 AM)
- MYANMAR MASS - Church (2:00 PM)

### Monday, June 18, 2018

- Communion Service - Church - 9:00 AM
- Sister Circle - Cenacle (6:30pm - 9:00pm)

### Tuesday, June 19, 2018

- Communion Service - Church - 9:00 AM

### Wednesday, June 20, 2018

- Communion Service - Church - 9:00 AM
- Book Club - Cenacle (10:00am - 12:00pm)
- VBS Volunteer Meeting - Cenacle (7:00pm)

### Thursday, June 21, 2018

- Communion Service - Church - 9:00 AM
- Learning Burmese - Church Courtesy Room (6:30pm - 8:00pm)
- St. Vincent de Paul - Cenacle (7:00pm - 9:01pm)
- Men's Club Meeting - Men's Club Room, Msgr. Schafer Hall (7:30pm - 9:00pm)

### Friday, June 22, 2018

- MASS - Church - 9:00 AM
- Wedding Rehearsal - Church (5:00pm)

### Saturday, June 23, 2018

- Wedding - Church (2:00pm)
- Reconciliation - Church Courtesy Room (4:00pm)
- MASS - Church - 5:30 PM

### Sunday, June 24, 2018

- MASS - Church (7:30 AM, 9:30 AM, 11:45 AM)
- VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (6:00PM - 8:00PM)

For more information regarding events on our campus, check out the Calendar Link on our website, [www.stmarkindy.org](http://www.stmarkindy.org).

**ALPHA HOSPICE CARE:** is seeking volunteers to assist Hospice patients and their families. If you are interested and have a caring heart and a listening ear, please contact Glenda Dennison at 317-300-2295 or [glendadennison@alphaHC.com](mailto:glendadennison@alphaHC.com).

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF INDIANAPOLIS** sponsors a monthly caregiver support group for family members/friends who care for older adults. Meetings are open to the community and are a way for adult caregivers to share and learn from each other. **Please confirm attendance.** For additional information, contact Monica Woodsworth at 317-261-3378 or [mwoodsworth@archindy.org](mailto:mwoodsworth@archindy.org). Next meeting is **Monday, June 18th from 5:30pm to 7:00pm** at St. Mark Catholic School

## Please Pray For...

Kris Feldkhake, Lisa Engelking, Mary Fortress, Sherry Brett, Carolyn Walters, Karen Firkins, Sherrie Blomberg, Linda and Jerry Gaydos, Diane Fowler, Pat Henn, Joe Pierle, Shirley Martin, Hunter Moore, Betty Mouser, Joanne Burkert, Debbie O'Neal, Rosemary Delph, Katie Leach, Bill Mahlman, Pat Taylor, and Chris Williams.



MILITARY: Please pray for our women and men in the Armed Forces and their families

To add a name to our Prayer List, please contact Chris Johnson, [cjohnson@stmarkindy.org](mailto:cjohnson@stmarkindy.org)

## Sacraments



### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

**Elisha Hoffman and John Watson** were joined in the Sacrament of Marriage on **Friday, June 9, 2018**.

Our parish community joins family and friends in congratulating and asking God's blessing upon their lives together.