

HOLY ANGELS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Robert J. Stellini, Pastor

FEBRUARY — Month of the Passion of Our Lord

February 25, 2018 — 2nd Sunday in Lent (B) CONFIRMATION

"I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living." —Ps 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19

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Youth Group Minister

Sarah Alley

Pastoral Council

Rev. Robert Stellini, Rev. Mr. Bill Winston,

Pete Hinkel, Sarah Jean, Terry Piskorski,

Moe Sims, Carrie Beld, and Youth Minister

Sarah Alley. Voting Members: (15/18)

Beth Bell, Gertrude Cayabas; (16/19) David

Cohen, Lara Freidhof, Ed Sumara; (17/20)

Judy Boehmler, Joseph McGowan

Welcome & Registration

We welcome any visitors, including those who may not be of our Catholic faith. We pray that our celebration of the sacred liturgy today was a meaningful one for you.

If you are a new member in the parish, complete a census form and return it to the church office. Census forms can be found in the foyer. To date we have 243 families and 673 members.

Mission Statement

Holy Angels is a Catholic community of faith joining past, present, and future members on a journey with Christ to the Father. Through worship, stewardship, evangelization, and works of charity, we strive to more perfectly image God, who is love.

Online Giving is now available. Simply click on the online giving button under Quick Links on our website homepage.



To Notify the Parish of a Seriously Ill Family Member

If a family member has been admitted to the hospital or is ill at home and wants it to be announced at the Masses so our parish community can pray for their intentions, please contact the parish office and let us know. We will only do this with the permission of the sick person or a member of his/her family.

Sacraments

Eucharist - Sat Vigil: 5:00 p.m.; Sun: 8:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.; Daily Mass: M, W, Th, F at 12 noon; First Saturday ONLY is at 8:00 a.m.; (Holydays - See special announcement in bulletin)

Penance - Sat: 4:30-4:45 p.m.; Sun: 7:30-7:45 a.m. & 10:15-10:30 a.m. (and by appt.)

Baptism - A preparation class is required of the parents requesting Baptism for their first child. Parents and godparents are encouraged to attend the class before the baby's birth. (Scheduled as needed.)

Confirmation - Confirmation is celebrated in the spring with students who are at least in the 8th grade and have completed the requirements for the preparation process in our PRE program.

Matrimony - Couples planning to marry should contact the Pastor at least 5 months prior to the proposed date so all parish and diocesan requirements may be completed.

Holy Orders - If you feel called to a vocation in the priesthood or religious life, please contact the pastor.

Anointing of the Sick - If you wish to receive this sacrament, contact the pastor. If there is an emergency situation, an immediate family member should contact the pastor.

Bulletin Announcement Deadline

Announcements for the bulletin must be received in writing by 12 noon on Monday to be printed in the following Sunday's bulletin.

Protecting God's Children

The Diocese of Memphis, encourages all victims, or parents of minors who are victims, of sexual abuse by a priest, deacon or diocesan employee or agent, to report such abuse by phoning any of the following numbers: Tennessee Child Abuse Hotline (1-877-237-0004) or Victim Assistance Coordinator (901-652-4066). All reports will be treated in a confidential manner. The Diocese of Memphis offers a program of psychological and spiritual assistance to abused victims in need. (2/15/2017)

Year End Financial Statements

Year end financial statements showing financial contributions to Holy Angels will only be prepared for those parishioners who request them. Please call or email the parish office and put your name on the list if you want to receive one.

Funerals

When planning a funeral for a loved one, please call the pastor before making any arrangements with the funeral home regarding the date and time of visitation, the funeral Mass or service at the funeral home.

Funeral Luncheon Committee

Holy Angels will provide a luncheon after a funeral Mass if the family of the deceased requests one. The Hospitality (Funeral Luncheon) Committee consists of: several women from the parish. One of these ladies will be calling on you for food when the need arises.

Church Bulletin by Mail

If you know of a Holy Angels parishioner who is homebound and would like to receive the church bulletin by mail, please contact Cathi Shea in the parish office.

Nursery

The nursery is located in the classroom next to the kitchen in the parish hall. The nursery is open to children birth to 4 years.

Collection Report for 2/18/18	
Reg. Coll.:	\$3,220.00
Online donations:	\$280.00
Votive Candles:	\$102.00
Cookies	\$50.50
Black & Indian Missions	\$430.00
CD Sales	\$81.81
Central & Eastern Europe:	\$451.00
Total Reg. Coll.:	\$4,615.31
Reg. Disbursements:	\$0.00
B/M Collection:	\$25.00
B/M Disbursements:	\$0.00

Attendance (228 families)
 2/18 34-74-103..... 211

PRE attendance for 2/18/18
 Present: 73 of 93 (78%)
 Excused: 1 Absent: 19
REMEMBER that you must call/email excuse into Pete Hinkel in parish office

2nd Collections for March
 3/4 Building Maintenance
 3/11 Catholic Relief Services
 3/18 Decorations/Sanctuary Needs
Special February Collection
 3/29 Holy Thursday Envelope
 3/30 Good Friday – The Holy Land

Anniversaries Feb 25th – Mar 3rd
 None this week
Birthdays Feb 25th – Mar 3rd
 2/28 Peter Franckowiak, Robert Nanney
 3/1 Clare Cunningham, Julia Hamilton
 3/2 Graciela Rivera
 3/3 Whitt Hurt, Beverly Jelonek,
 Colleen Durbin, Brooklyn Nanney
 Juan Rivera Perez

Alb Care Volunteers
 Feb – Jennifer Ebelhar
 Mar – Judy Boehmler
Altar Linen Care Volunteers
 Feb – Carrie Stegeman
 Mar – Debbie McAndrew

Votive Candles Small, 10-hour votive candles are 50¢ and large, 6-day candles are \$3. Payment envelopes are available at the candles alcove. Drop envelope in the collection basket. Candle money must be in a candle envelope to be properly posted to the candle fund.

Vocations — 2nd Sunday in Lent “If God is with us, who can be against us? Is the Lord strengthening you to consider the grace of a vocation to the priesthood or consecrated life? You can reach Fr. Patrick Gallagher at 901-373-1243 or visit www.memphiscovations.com

MINISTERS SCHEDULE for NEXT WEEK (submitted by Steve Stanionis)

March 4, 2018	5:00 PM	8:00 AM	10:45 AM
Greeters	Jim Pickard	Debbie McAndrew	Kathy Yarbrow
	Connie Van Vickle	Jamie McGowan	Kelly Unland
Lector	Barbara Pugh	Terry Stanionis	Valeria Davila
Extraordinary	1 Carmel Freidhof	Jennifer Ebelhar	Marie Buck
Ministers	2 Peter Hinkel	Aaron Boone	Arly Ramirez
of Holy	3 Denise Hinkel	Jamie McGowan	Nancy Morales
Communion	4		
	1	Madison McGowan	Taylor Dunn
Servers	2	Shelby Hilliard	Matt Pepito
	3	Stacey Hilliard	
Ushers	1 Corey Piskorski	Bryan Frank	Rad Hunsley
	2 Michelle Piskorski	Tim Bruewer	Nerio Pepito
Honor Fam	Bill & Julie Davis	Haslett Family	Christine Denzer
Sacristan		Marilyn Luckenbaugh	Nerio & Janet Pepito
Min of Sick			Marge Pinkowski

MASS SCHEDULE for THIS week

Week of February 25th – Mar 3rd			
Sanctuary Candle – Memory of Richard Johnson by Barbara Johnson			
Bread & Wine			
Flowers – No flowers during Lent			
2/25	Su	8:00 am 10:45	Memory of Carolyn West by Darrell West Family People of Holy Angels
2/26	M	Noon	Memory of Doreen Melton by her children
2/28	W	Noon	Health Intentions of John McGrail by Pete and Denise Hinkel
3/1	Th	Noon	Memory of Chris Heckethorn by Lara & Dan Freidhof
3/2	F	Noon	First Friday Memory of Mary Harrell by Joan Fisher
3/3	Sa	8:00 am 5:00 pm	First Saturday Special Intentions of Sarah Alley by Dot Alley Special Intentions of Fr. Bob by Donna Emery

MEETINGS & SCHEDULED EVENTS

2/24	Sa	5:00 pm	Confirmation with Spaghetti Dinner to follow for Confirmandi and their families in the Parish Hall
2/26	M	6:00 pm	Youth Building Committee Meeting in the Conference Room
2/28	W	6:00-7:30 pm	RCIA #23 in the Conference Room
3/2	F	Noon 6:00 pm	First Friday Mass/Devotion Stations of the Cross/Meatless Potluck
3/3	Sa	8:00 am	First Saturday Mass/Devotion
3/5	M	6:00 pm	Parish Lenten Penance Service

Needed: Adult Enrichment Formation Chairperson I'm looking for a volunteer to be in charge of Adult Enrichment Formation. This person would plan events to help adults grow in all aspects of life – spiritual, relational, financial, emotional, psychological – or any other way that would be helpful to personal growth for adults. You could form a committee to work with you if you prefer. The frequency of events would depend on what's available and what's involved in planning and executing the event. If you're interested in looking into this position, call me at the office. *--Fr. Bob*

Praying the Rosary On the 2nd Wednesday of every month, the Rosary will be prayed at 11:15 followed by noon Mass. After Mass, join us with your sack lunch in the parish hall.
Due to Mass being cancelled on 2nd Wed, March 14th, the Rosary and sack lunch has been moved to the 3rd Wed, March 21st.

Volunteers Needed for Washing of Feet on Holy Thursday (March 29th) We need 12 volunteers to participate in the Washing of Feet on Holy Thursday. Volunteers must be confirmed Catholics. Anyone interested in participating is asked to contact Cathi Shea in the Parish Office

Ministry to the Sick The Eucharistic ministers bring the comfort of Christ in the form of the Eucharist to those who cannot come to church; they bring the Church to people. In this way the sick and homebound are united to the Body of Christ present in our community. If you know of any parishioner who would like a visit by one of our Ministers to the Sick, please contact Cathi Shea in the Parish Office.

Sign-up Sheets Please check out the sign-up sheets on the table in the foyer for the Easter Egg Hunt Pancake Breakfast and the Candy List for the Easter Egg Hunt.

2018-2019 PRE Registration Information

1. The Discount Deadline for the 2018-2019 PRE Registration is 3:00 pm on July 5, 2018. Tuition on or before July 5, 2018 is \$25 for the first child, and \$5 for each remaining child in the family. Tuition after July 5, 2018 is \$30 for the first child, and \$10 for each remaining child in the family.
2. 2018-2019 PRE Registration Deadline is 3:00 pm on July 25, 2018. The only registrations that will be accepted after this deadline will be for newly registered families moving into the area.
3. Classes begin on Sunday, August 12, 2018. ***Note: All PRE classes are held on Sunday morning.**
4. 2018-2019 PRE Registration Packets can be found on the shelves in the foyer under the bulletin board and on the website. **A completed PRE registration form, a Medical Release Form and a Media Permission Form are required EACH year for EACH student** registering for PRE. All three forms are included in the registration packet. ****Note: If your child has received a sacrament (Baptism, 1st Penance, 1st Communion, Confirmation) or has made a Profession of Faith in a Catholic Church other than Holy Angels, please attach a copy of the sacramental certificate to the registration packet.**
5. 1st Penance/1st Communion Registration Packets will be handed out and discussed with the students and their parents at the **MANDATORY** Parent/Student Meeting on Sunday, August 19, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. in the parish hall
6. Confirmation Registration Packets and Service hour information will be handed out and discussed with the 7th and 8th grades students and their parents at the **MANDATORY** Parent/Student Meeting on Sunday, August 26, 2018. The meetings will be held in the 7th & 8th grade classrooms.
7. Also, keep in mind the diocesan requirement that students registering for a sacrament (1st Penance, 1st Communion, Confirmation) must have attended PRE here or somewhere else the prior year in order to register for the sacrament. These students must also provide a copy of the certificate for all sacraments already received.
8. Service Scholarship applications can be found on the PRE bulletin board in the PRE hall at the canopy entrance and on the website.
9. **All PRE registrations packets and sacramental class registration packets are to be turned in to Mr. Pete Hinkel in the parish office.** For your convenience, registration packets/tuition can be dropped off at the parish office, mailed to the parish office or dropped in either of the secure drop boxes provided. (1. On the wall next to the mailbox outside, or 2. On the wall next to Pete Hinkel's office.)

Bible Study meets on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. in the 5th-6th grade classroom. The current study is "The End: A Study of the Book of Revelations" by Scott Hahn. If you are interested in joining us or would like more info, contact Judy Boehmler at 731-589-6773 or boehmler@cableone.net. **NOTE: When the schools are on break there is NO bible study.**

--Judy Boehmler, Bible Study Coordinator

Youth Group meets on Wednesday nights, 6:00-7:30 p.m. except during school breaks and doctor visits for me.

--Sarah Alley, Youth Group Director

Feb 24th — Confirmation at Holy Angels has been scheduled by The Diocese of Memphis and Bishop Martin D. Holley. It will be Saturday, Feb 24th at the 5:00 p.m. Mass. A spaghetti dinner will follow for the Confirmandi and their families.

-- Catholic Diocese of Memphis

Feb 25th — #4 of #6 1st Communion Prep Class — These classes are held in the 2nd grade classroom with Mrs. Marge Pinkowski as the instructor. **If your child is registered for the 1st Communion class and is in a grade OTHER than the 2nd grade, please make sure they report to the 2nd grade classroom on the above noted dates.** (#4 Feb 25; #5 Mar 4; Mar 11 & 18 Spring Break; #6 Mar 25)

Mar 2nd — Stations of the Cross w/ Meatless Potluck

Stations of the Cross is a popular devotion to accompany the final events in the life of Jesus. Please join us every Friday of Lent (Mar 2, 9, 16, 23) at 6:00 p.m. for the Stations of the Cross, followed by a meatless potluck afterwards in the parish hall. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to participate. **Stations of the Cross will also take place at 12 noon on Good Friday, March 30th; no meatless potluck following on Good Friday.**

Mar 2-4 — Retrouvaille Retreat Couples who have attended Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) tell us they learned about the program from their weekly Bulletin. Many are afraid to ask their pastor for help with their marriages. Others just hope time will make things better. Seeing the program announced repeatedly in their Bulletin gave them the courage make the call. Retrouvaille was the lifeline that helped their marriage and their family. 25% of surveyed couples say they are "happily married." Are you frustrated or angry with each other? Do you argue...or have you just stopped talking to each other? Does talking about it only make it worse? Retrouvaille helps couples rebuild their marriages. For confidential info or to register, call (800) 470-2230 or (615) 523-0631, email nrv3043@gmail.com or visit our web site at www.HelpOurMarriage.com.

Mar 1, 2, 4, 5 Dyersburg High School Trojan Drama will be presenting the play "I@g Yourself". This play is a collection of comedic and dramatic scenes presented by 24 cast members.

Dates: Thur, Mar 1st at 7:00 P.M.
Fri, Mar 2nd at 7:00 P.M.
Sun, Mar 4th at 2:00 P.M.
Mon, Mar 5th at 7:00 P.M.

Where: The Dyersburg High School Little Theatre
Tickets are \$6 and can be purchased at the door. For the enjoyment of the entire audience, no children under the age of 5 admitted. More info, call Chris Solmon at 286-3630. Students involved in this play from Holy Angels are Valeria Davila, Tanya Larraga, and Nancy Morales.

Mar 5th — Parish Lenten Penance Service will be Monday, March 5th at 6:00 p.m. Fr. Joey Kaump from Immaculate Conception Parish in Union City will assist Fr. Bob with confessions.

SECOND SUNDAY
OF LENT
"WATCH AND LISTEN"

Mar 7th — MLK 50th Anniversary In honor of the 50th anniversary of the death of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. the Diocese of Memphis presents *“Peace, Harmony and Justice: Tolton from Slave to Priest”*. This is an inspiring story on the life of Fr. Augustus Tolton, the first African American priest. Wed, Mar 7 at 7 PM, St Mary’s Catholic Church, Jackson, TN. Admission is \$10 for adults/\$5 for youth ages 10-17. Tickets available at the parish office or at the door.

Mar 10th — Men’s Morning of Spirituality Sat, Mar 10, 2018 Church of the Incarnation; 8AM to 1PM w/continental breakfast at 7AM; Mass at Noon with Bishop Martin D. Holley; Register at MensMorning.com or call Bryan Crowe at 901-351-4248 or email at bcrowe@comcast.net

Mar 25th — Easter Egg Hunt & Pancake Breakfast This year there will be a Pancake Breakfast together with the Annual Easter Egg Hunt. There will be PRE classes, so the egg hunt and breakfast will begin right after the 8:00 a.m. Mass. Word is that there may be a special guest arriving for the festivities!!! Maybe with long ears, a wiggly nose and a fuzzy white tail!!!



2nd Sunday of Lent (B) Feb 24/25, 2018

FEBRUARY – Month of the Passion of Our Lord

FIRST READING (Genesis 2:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18) Lent is a journey in faith through dark places toward the promised light. Abraham’s faithful obedience took him to the brink of his son’s death by his own hand as he prepared to sacrifice to God the very gift God had given to fulfill the promise of countless descendants. In Abraham’s story, faith and obedience are rewarded by reprieve. But a surprise reprieve at the end did not lessen the cost of that long journey made in fear and grief to the place of sacrifice, knowing that knife and altar awaited.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 116:10, 15, 16-17, 18-19) Filled with awe in the presence of the Lord who has “loosed my bonds,” the psalmist writes, “I am your servant.” It is indeed a psalm of gratitude and pledged faithfulness. God, who rescues his servant from the cords of faith, regards the death of his faithful ones as precious. We see a God who cares for humanity in all its reality, imperfection and possibility. God loves his people and asks only for obedience in return.

SECOND READING (Romans 8:31b-34) God’s love chose to take no reprieve from the sacrifice of the beloved Son, for the cost of reprieve would have been the loss of all those others who would become God’s children by adoption. Yet even here, in this relentless story of love’s ultimate sacrifice, the promise of Easter shines through the clouds.

GOSPEL (Mark 9:2-10) The stories of God speaking on the desert mountain-top to Moses from a cloud of fire and to Elijah in profound silence, commanding each of them to go to the people with the word of life, come together here to identify Jesus as the one in whom the fire dwells unseen and of whom the voice says, “This is my beloved Son.” We are charged to listen and to follow through the twisting desert paths before us to the final fulfillment of the promise of life made again and again to God’s wandering people.

Readings: 2nd Week in Lent (B)

Su	2/25	Gen 22:1-2, 9-13, 15-18; Ps 116:10, 15-19; Rom 8:31-31; Mark 9:2-10
M	2/26	Dan 9:4-10; Ps 79:8-9, 11, 13; Luke 6:36-38
Tu	2/27	Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16-17, 21-, 23; Matt 23:1-12
W	2/28	Jer 18:18-20; Ps 31:5-6, 14-16; Matt 20:17-28
Th	3/1	Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Luke 16:19-31
F	3/2	Gen 37:3-4, 12-13, 17-28; Ps 105:16-21; Matt 21:33-43, 45-46
Sa	3/3	Micah 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

Nominations for the 2018 Pastoral Council Election The search is on for three new Pastoral Council members! This is a three-year term and will start in September. The 2018 Pastoral Council Elections will be Sat/Sun, May 18/19th at all Masses. Pastoral Council elections are held each May to rotate members of the Council and keep fresh ideas coming into our faith community. The Pastoral Council serves as an important consultative body to the pastor concerning matters of parish life and governance. Membership is comprised of confirmed, practicing Catholics who are registered parishioners (at least 18 years of age) and in good standing (able to receive the sacraments) with the Church. We ask you to personally consider nominating yourself and/or someone else within Holy Angels that you feel would be willing to share their time and talent on the Pastoral Council. **Nomination forms can be placed in the Sunday collection basket or turned into the church office.**

2018 Pastoral Council Election Timeline:

- Feb 11, 2018 thru Mar 11, 2018 — Nominations accepted.
- Mar 18, 2018 — Nominees listed in the bulletin.
- Apr 1, 2018 — Deadline to accept or decline nomination.
- Apr 29, 2018 — Bio sheets on all candidates in the bulletin.
- May 14, 16, 17, 18, 2018 — Absentee voting during office hours
- May 19/20, 2018 — Pastoral Council elections during all Masses.

The following members are completing their 3-year term on the Council: Beth Bell, Ghett Cayabas. We thank both of them for their service on the Pastoral Council. Both are eligible for re-election.

**NOMINATION FORM
FOR
2018 PASTORAL COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

List names of those you wish to nominate:

Nominated by: -

Nominations will be accepted Feb 12 – Mar 12, 2018