

July 24, 2016  
17th Sunday in Ordinary  
Time

## All Saints Catholic Church

**Mission Statement:** "We envision a process of transforming all baptized Christian, clergy, and lay into maturing persons knowing themselves in community, growing in their relationship to God, lived in individual and shared ministry responses to their baptismal call."

### Parish Contact Information

Rev. Raymond J.  
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Pastor

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### Church Office

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Dear Parishioners,

Our Parish Finance Council met this past week to go over the year-end reports for FY 2015-16. The final report will be prepared for publication and distributed in the next few weeks. Also discussed by the council were short-term and long-term goals of the parish.

### Coming up this Fall: RCIA

**What is "RCIA"?** RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is a journey of faith, a deep conversion to Jesus Christ and His values. During this process, a person is formed in faith by reflecting on God's Word, the Catholic Community's life, liturgy, beliefs, and apostolic works. It is a total formation process culminating in full membership in the Catholic Church, through the 3 Sacraments of initiation: Baptism, Confirmation, and Holy Eucharist.

**Who is it for?** The RCIA is primarily designed for persons seeking Baptism; that is, those not baptized previously. Since baptized Christians from other denominations may also be seeking membership in the Catholic Church, the RCIA process is adapted to their needs as well.

**What is the process?** The process of full initiation into the Church has four stages, beginning with the *Period of Inquiry*. This is a time for questions and finding out more about the Church and its life of faith. Not all inquirers decide to enter the Church or to complete their initiation - it is up to the individual.

- The *Period of Catechumenate* begins with the Rite of Acceptance and Welcome. During this period we meet regularly to pray, share scripture and how they relate to one's life, and to discuss church teachings. In addition, participants will attend Sunday Masses.
- The *Period of Purification and Enlightenment* begins with the First Sunday of Lent. The Rite of Election is celebrated at this time. This period continues the reflection on scripture and one's own life, focusing now upon Lenten themes: liberation from sin, deepening in prayer, works of charity, and sacrifice.
- The last stage is the *Mystagogia*, which follows Easter - the traditional time of becoming a full member in the Catholic Church. It is a time to become better integrated into the faith community.

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic, or if you are a Catholic desiring to celebrate Eucharist and/or Confirmation, please contact Fr. Ray, Deacon Fred, or the Church office: 515-523-1943.

**SACRAMENT of BAPTISM:** Preparation class for parents and godparents is required. Please contact the church office to make arrangements.

**SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:** Preparation for marriage must begin at least six months before the anticipated date of the wedding. Please contact the church office to set up an appointment to speak with Father.

# Parish News & Events

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## Mass Times & Intentions

**Sunday 7/24:** 10am For Clair Marnin  
**Tuesday 7/26:** 6:00pm Prayer Service w/ Deacon Fred  
**Thursday 7/28:** 9:00am (At the Community Care Center)  
Prayer Service w/ Deacon Fred  
**Friday 7/29:** 8:30am No services  
**Saturday 7/30:** 4:30pm For the living and deceased members  
of the Callahan and Holland Families

## BIRTHDAYS

**7/27:** Aiden Clauson **7/28:** Janet Dickson  
**7/29:** Dick Doherty **7/30:** Patrick Gulbranson

## ANNIVERSARIES

**Gary & Anne Riordan** July 25, 1981  
**Logan & Paige Witte** July 30, 2011

## Altar & Rosary Society

will meet after Mass July 24th.

## Financial Report

for the week of July 17th

**Regular Tithes** \$1,928.00

**Children:** \$13.72

**Building Fund:** \$115.00

**Catholic**

**Charities:**

\$70.00

**2016 ADA**  
Balance Due

**\$13,648**

**Thank  
You!**



## Catholic Quiz

(From [www.catholicbible101.com](http://www.catholicbible101.com))

1. Pope John Paul II instituted a new set of mysteries to the Rosary called the \_\_\_\_\_  
Mysteries. It is suggested by the Church to say these mysteries on \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The 3rd Glorious Mystery of the Rosary is the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Saul saw Jesus as a bright light on his way to \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The first Christian in the New Testament, as well as the first evangelist, was \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_.
5. Paul describes Jesus as the new \_\_\_\_\_.
6. The Ark of the Covenant contained three items, according to Paul, including \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
7. There are at least 3 righteous people mentioned in the Book of Luke, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
8. According to the Bible, \_\_\_\_\_ is the prince of the air.
9. The first murderer in human history was \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Adam & Eve's third son was named \_\_\_\_\_.

**Answers in next week's bulletin!**

## Liturgical Ministers

### Saturday 7/30

Rosary Leader: Florence Cook

Ushers: Marty Doud, Eric  
Tiernan

Greeters/Gifts: Marvin & Janet  
Bassett

Cross Bearer: Vince Doud

Server: Nick Doud

Lector: Roni Wilson

Commentator: Jodi Bassett

Eucharist: Donna Donnelly,  
Mark & Kari Tisl

### Sunday Ministers 7/31

Ushers: Knights

Greeters/Gifts: Knights

Cross Bearer: Knights

Senior Server: Larissa Crawford

Junior Server: Alli Boyle

Apprentice Server: Lauren  
O'Brien

Lector: Knights

Commentator: Knights

Eucharist: Knights

## Saturday Mass Musician

We are in need of people to provide instrumental music for Saturday Masses beginning September 3rd. Brenda will be returning to Sunday morning Mass in order to facilitate the Children's Liturgy of the Word program. If you are interested in filling this need, please contact the Church Office at 523-1943.

Our church instrumentalists  
and cantors are offered a  
stipend.

