

# **ST. ANNE CATHOLIC CHURCH**

*Diocese of Lafayette-in-Indiana*

6894 N. Walnut Street  
Monterey, Indiana 46960

**Lord's Day Mass**  
Saturday 4:00 p.m.

**Reconciliation**  
First Saturday of the month  
3:00-3:45pm

**Pastoral Council**  
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**Sunday, March 10, 2019**  
**The 1st Sunday of Lent**



One does not  
live on bread alone

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# St. Anne Catholic Church

## MASS INTENTIONS

**Saturday, Mar. 9**  
† Jim Zehner

**Saturday, Mar. 16**  
† Ralph J. Fox

## LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Regular	\$1221
Building	\$293
Haiti	\$131
Church in Eastern & & Central Europe	\$50
Catholic Moment	\$20

## VOLUNTEER CLEANERS

For the week of Mar. 10: Dan & Peggy Keller Family  
For the week of Mar. 17 & 24: Byron Walters Family

## EUCCHARISTIC MINISTER SCHEDULE

Mar. 9: Angie Loehmer & Phyllis Thomas  
Mar. 16: Steve Shank & Warren Penrod

## READINGS FOR MASS

The readings for next Sunday are: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18; Philippians 3:17-4:1; Luke 9:28B-36. You can also find the daily Mass readings at [www.stannechurchmonterey.org](http://www.stannechurchmonterey.org).



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## 40 DAYS OF LENT?

While the season of Lent (Ash Wednesday to Holy Thursday) is technically 44 days, the number of days for penance and fasting before Easter is still 40 days:

(44 days) - (6 Sundays) = 38 days

+ (Good Friday & Holy Saturday) = 40 days!

## Monterey, Indiana

### ***From Father Mike***

As we have already begun our Lenten Season, this First Sunday of Lent presents us with a reading from the book of Deuteronomy. In this book, Moses is giving instructions to the Israelites after they have journeyed across the desert but before they cross into the Promised Land. As their lives have begun to settle down from the long trip from Egypt, they are able to raise crops instead of harvest manna each morning as they did in the desert. So Moses reminds them that the proper attitude is to never forget how God had delivered them from slavery and to offer him the first fruits of their blessings from the land. Similarly, it helps that during Lent we keep in mind to focus on recognizing the ways God has brought blessing and deliverance to our lives. Thus we can open our lives to even more change. In contrast, it is easy to fall into concentrating on what we are giving up or doing more of without noticing how it is shifting our relationship with Jesus and the ways his Holy Spirit is trying to direct our lives. While it may be nice to have lost a few pounds or accomplished many acts of charity by Easter Sunday, the real goal of Lent is to see better how God has saved us and continues to bless us, and then we can respond in our actions to his power working in our lives.

REPENT!



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### **LENTEN PENANCE SERVICES**

St. Anne will host a Word Service with individual confessions with two available priests on Tuesday, March 19, 7:00pm. Penance Services also available at St. Peter, Winamac on Wed, Mar. 20, 6:00pm, and St. Joseph, Rochester on Tue, Apr. 9, 7:00pm.

### **UPCOMING RETREATS**

The St. Joseph Retreat Center in Tipton IN has the following opportunities to experience prayer and God's presence.

Mar. 26      Lenten Day of Reflection  
Apr. 9        Get Away for a Day

Contact Samir Azer at [sazer@dol-in.org](mailto:sazer@dol-in.org) or 765-551-9570  
Visit [www.stjosephretreat.org](http://www.stjosephretreat.org).

### **HAITI MINISTRY COMMITTEE**

The Haiti Twinning Ministry will meet this Mon, Feb. 11, 7:00pm in the St. Joseph Rochester Parish Hall.

### **HAITI SOLAR PANEL PROJECT**

See how you could be a part of the installation of a solar panel and battery system for our Haiti sister parish that converts reliance on their expensive gasoline-powered generator to this cheaper and more reliable source of power. The next meeting is this Thu, March 14, 7:00pm in the St. Joseph Rochester Parish Hall.

### **HAITI PASTORAL MINISTRY TEAM**

Anyone wanting to go on a pastoral mission to build solidarity with our sister parish in Mariani, Haiti on Jan. 15-20, 2020 can contact Pierre Absi at 574-835-2168. Scholarships are available to help with expenses.

### **HAITI HELPFUL DOLLARS MONTHLY RAFFLE WINNERS**

\$50 Winners: Dave Garbe, Birdena Pearce, James Straeter,  
Ray & Phyllis Dausman  
\$25 Winners: Shamay Ruff, Beth Higgins, Laura Ralston,  
Pete Shorter

### **PARISH PRAYER LIST**

Mary Lee McSarlane, Matt Crist, Dick Kruzek, Ed Fleury, Dick Keller, Carol Earnest, Ellen Walsh, Amber Wilson, Brie Armstrong, Don Beech, Marsha Crist Gearhart, Shelagh Wise, Gloria Kontor, Kelly Hiatt, Janet Schutter, Cyndy Raymond.

*Call the St. Joseph Parish Office with any changes to the prayer list. at 574-223-2808. Please specify St. Anne Parish and leave a name and phone number for follow up.*