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Dear Sisters and Brothers in the Lord:

This past week a reflection from Pope Francis struck me. I'd like to share some of it and my reaction to all of it. In part, Pope Francis said: "Today we enter, through Christ's wounds, into the mystery of God, we come to realize that mercy is not simply one of His qualities among others, but the very beating of His Heart. Then, like Thomas, we no longer live as disciples, uncertain, devout but wavering. We too fall in love with the Lord! We must not be afraid of these words, to fall in love with the Lord."

"The Lord does indeed want to touch our wounds with His. This is what the Divine Mercy message proclaims: 'O Blood and Water, which gushed forth from the Heart of Jesus as a fountain of Mercy for us, I trust in You!' Jesus is not embarrassed by this, 'fleshy-ness.' On the contrary, He knows that man needs graphics. The gushing forth of Blood and Water literally and actually from His pierced side on Calvary, and continually since, sacramentally, is the fulfillment of all Old Testament attempts to 'see God face to face.' ...Let Christians not forget that the Sacraments are not a mere meal among parish friends. The Sacred Liturgy, Holy Mass, is also an individual encounter at the Wedding Banquet of Diving Mercy, in which Christ the Son of God weds each soul to

Himself very intimately as bone of His Bone, flesh of His Flesh."

How wonderfully that fulfills the thought expressed in the fourth century by Saint Augustine that each time we participate in Holy Communion we are asked to "receive what you are and become what you receive. Be the Flesh and Blood of Jesus given for the life of the world!" It is, indeed, within the sacrament of the Eucharist that each of us has been given the opportunity to unite with Jesus; to become His disciple. Once we are fed through His incorporation into our heart, we can only bring that gift to completion by our willingness to do what He did—go out to those most in need and teach them by our gift of time, talent and treasure that they are worthy of care. Saint Teresa of Calcutta said it best: "Make us worthy Lord, to serve our fellow man throughout the world who live and die in poverty and hunger. Give them this day through our hands, their daily bread and by our understanding love, give peace and joy." It is a prayer I pray each time I receive the gift of the Eucharist. I invite you to consider doing the same.

Peace be with you, Monsignor

Parish Information

	Monday 6/11/2018	Tuesday 6/12/2018	Wednesday 6/13/2018	Thursday 6/14/2018	Friday 6/15/2018	Saturday 6/16/2018
St. Mary	NO MASS	8:00 AM Margaret Bradley	NO MASS	8:00 AM Gertrude Gall Glotzbach	NO MASS	2:30-3:30 Confessions
St. Ambrose	8:00 AM Fr. Edward Dhondt	8:00 AM Eugene Zagorski	8:00 AM Charles Graybill	8:00 AM Ronald Kempfer	8:00 AM Johanna Hanlon	4:00-5:00 Confessions
Other Locations			11:30 AM St. Vincent Hospital Mary Ann Nivens		10:30 AM Bethany Pointe Poor Souls	

Liturgical Ministers Schedule

June 16th & 17th	Sat. 4:00 PM St. Mary	Sat. 5:30 PM St. Ambrose	Sun. 7:30 AM St. Mary	Sun. 9:30 AM St. Ambrose	Sun. 11:30 AM St. Mary
Mass Intentions	George Albert Stoner	Pro Populo	Poor Souls	Rolando Leyva	Emilio Leyva
Reader	Pat Pitcher	Janice Martin	Amy Sczesny	Carol Fite	Daniel Flores
Eucharistic Ministers	Carol Cukrowitz S. Schipp Joan Sauter Joetta Allison Sister Eileen	Donna Pine H Mark Loose Cathy Thompson	Becky Hull Michael Litten Linda Ratliff Lea Papai Dave Papai H	Rebecca Degitz H Mary Lavelle H Pat Backous Stephanie Metz Bacilio Montes Angie Pitts	Mayra Sierra Yolanda St. Clair Deyda Valenzuela Francisco Cazares Moises Cazares H
Servers	Jeffrey Krieg Brent Layton Cory Layton	Aaron Bauman Nick Bauman	Volunteers	Vincent Ibarra Jonathon Gonzalez Mariela Gonzalez	Jonathan Limon R. Cruz-Sanchez Roxana Sierra

PARISH COMMUNITY NEWS



Stewardship

St. Ambrose	\$ 12,176
YTD	\$ 185,037
NTD	\$ 286,000

ST. Mary	\$ 13,776
YTD	\$223,950
NTD	\$396,000
Renovation Fund	\$ 1,522 (\$112,825 of \$330K)

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On Line Giving— visit us at the following:

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

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

Dates To Remember-June 23rd Friends of the Poor Pizza Night at the K of C 5-7:30 PM.
 August 25th Friends of the Poor Tenderloin Fry at the K of C 5-7:30 PM.
 September 15th Friends of the Poor Walk at Highland Middle School Track;
 Registration at 11 AM-Walk at 12 Noon.

Welcome to Our Faith Family:

Seleni, daughter of Erik and Liliana Carrillo, baptized June 2, 2018 at St. Mary. May God grant her and their family years of health and happiness amongst us.

Support Seminarian Fund

Just a quick note to let you know that in an effort to make it easier for parishioners to **make an electronic donation** to the 2018 Seminarian Fund Appeal via Faith Direct, a new “button” has been added to the Diocesan home page (www.dol-in.org).

Knights of Columbus News

The Columbian Hall will be closed after the end of June until the end of August so that we can set up for our rummage sale and clean the hall. Donations for the rummage sale can be brought to the hall starting the 9th of July. Call Joe Lambert (606-8711) or Mike Wulle (621-1145) prior to you dropping rummage off at the hall to make sure someone is there. To set up a pick-up of donations, call Joe Lambert at 606-8711. The sale will take place at the hall on August 9th thru August 12th. Thank you for your support.

Wanted: Old Palladium Yearbooks from St. Joseph Academy

The staff at St. Joseph Retreat and Conference Center is looking for donations of old Palladium Yearbooks from the St. Joseph Academy for Retreat Center archives. If you or someone you know would be willing to donate any of these, please contact Fr. David Huemmer, Chaplain and Spiritual Director of The St. Joseph Retreat and Conference Center at (765) 551-9585.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

Eucharistic Adoration

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

Santa Maria Adoración es el jueves de 14:00-19:00 PM

RCIA– If you are curious about becoming Catholic or wondering what it's all about, It is a wonderful time to come find out! You are welcome to come, no strings attached, and ask any questions. We meet Tuesday evenings in the Annex across from St. Mary Church from 6:30-8:00 PM. If you need more information, call Mary Pat @ 617-2523, or Lawson @ 706-302-0165, or Janice @ 644-8467.

Please Pray For all those who are ill or injured, especially the sick and elderly in our parishes.

The Military in the Middle East: Josh Fisher, son of Gary and Kathy; Pfc. Cole Gillespie Army Infantry, son of David & Samantha Gillespie; Pvt. Jalen Lewis US Army, son of Stephanie Akin; Specialist Mark Schulten, Sergeant Joseph Schulten, Matthew Schulten HM3, grandsons of Cathy Thompson; Michael Shane Carter Air Force, grandson of Marllon and Emily Carter; Lance Corporal Brock Acra stationed in Okinawa Japan US Marine Corp, son of Greg and Sonia Acra. Specialist Clayton Keogh, US Army, grandson of Tim and Maryfrances Kincaid. YN3 Tyler Brock, son of Karen (O'Connor) Brock.

If you have a family member who is in the service and called to active duty and would like to add their name to a list for special prayers, please call the rectory and give us this information. Let us pray for **PEACE World Wide**. God Bless us all!

Need Prayer 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.

Retreats at St. Joseph

Three days in the life of a monk or nun retreat.

Have you ever wondered what life in a monastery is like? Here is a retreat that will allow you to experience the basic life of a monastic; with time for Mass, Liturgy of the Hours, private prayer, seven meals, as well as work periods! The retreat will begin on Tuesday, June 12th at 10:00 AM and end on Thursday, June 14th at 3:00 PM. The retreat is open to anyone 19 or older. The cost of the retreat is \$185.00. A minimum of \$5 is needed at registration. Please let us know of any dietary restrictions or physical restrictions. Registration deadline is June 10th.

Silent retreat opportunity

Men 19 and older: Come and enjoy a weekend experience of the wonder of silence and scripture.

Retreat will begin Friday, June 15th at 6:00 PM and end on Sunday, June 17th at 3:00 PM. The retreat will include six meals, Mass, Holy hour, a daily conference and plenty of quiet time to reflect. Please let us know of any dietary restrictions. The cost of the retreat is \$175.00. A minimum of \$5 is needed at registration. Deadline for registration is June 10th.

For information on either retreat contact Fr. David Huemmer fr.dhuemmer@dol-in.org (765) 551-9585 or Samir Azer sazer@dol-in.org (765) 551-9570.

Weekly Scriptures:

Sun. Gn 3:9-15, 2 Corr 4:13-5:1, Mk 3:20-35; **Mon.** Acts 11:21b-26, 13:1-3, Mt 5:1-12; **Tues.** 1 Kgs 17:7-16, Mt 5:13-16; **Wed.** 1 Kgs 18:20-39, Mt 5:17-19; **Thurs.** 1 Kgs 18:41-46, Mt 5:20-26; **Fri.** 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-16, Mt 5:27-32; **Sat.** 1 Kgs 19:19-21. Mt 5:33-37

OUTREACH

The Tuesday 9:30AM Faith Sharing Group will **not** be meeting this coming Tuesday, June 12th. The meeting will resume on Tuesday, June 19th, in St. Mary School Annex. The group meets from 9:30AM to 10:30AM. You are most welcome to join us.

Soup Kitchen

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 five openings at this time. All supplies are furnished. You prepare the soup at home and return the soup to St. Mary's School Annex. On June 27th they will be serving vegetable-beef soup, cheese and crackers and fruit at the Alternative Shelter for Women and Children from 11:45 AM – 12:30 PM. and the Christian Center Shelter from 4:30 PM—5:30 PM. For more information call Ron Cole at 779-4302.

Fruitful Harvest

Current pledge balances must be received and **posted** no later than September 1st, 2018 in the Fruitful Harvest Office. If you wish to make a gift electronically please visit the diocesan website at www.dol-in.org. Thank you for your continued stewardship and prayers to your parish.

Catholic Exchange Students— Host families are needed for high school exchange students arriving in August for the school year. Exchange students enrich the lives of their host families, peers, teacher, and the entire community. If you are interested in hosting and have question please contact Julie Siegel at (859) 229-2030 or jsiegel@edutrav.org.

*“With the Lord there is mercy
and fullness of redemption.” (Psalm 130:7)*



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Positions Available

Holy Cross School has positions available in their cafeterias at the North and South campuses. If you are interested, please call the St. Ambrose Rectory at (765) 644-5956.

Holy Cross School is accepting enrollment for the 2018-19 school year. We welcome parishioners and their children to join the Holy Cross School family. Contact one of the school offices listed above. Make Catholic education a tradition in your family!

Young Church

All High School Youth

Service Hours are available this summer.

Volunteer for VBS service hours June 25-29, 4 hours per day! Variety of jobs available.

Please call or text 317-989-5941 and be sure to include your name with message or email Janice at janicestorey9@gmail.com to get details and participate.

Sunday Religious Education
 Clases de catecismo dominical

Classes have concluded for this school year! You may register for next year by contacting Janice or Lawson at 644-8467; or, Gaby at 635-6348. Remember that if you are planning to prepare for First Communion or Confirmation that you must register for Sunday Religious Education **at least one year in advance**. A minimum of one year in a Catholic School or Sunday Religious Education is required prior to your sacramental year. All students in elementary school are encouraged to register to continue their formation.

¡ las clases han concluido para este año escolar! Puede inscribirse para el próximo año poniéndose en contacto con Janice o Lawson al 644-8467 o Gaby al 635-6348. Recuerde que si usted está planeando prepararse para la primera comunión o confirmación que usted debe registrarse para la educación religiosa dominical **por lo menos un año de antelación**. Un mínimo de un año en una escuela católica o domingo de educación religiosa se requiere antes de su año sacramental. Todos los estudiantes en la escuela primaria son animados a registrarse para continuar su formación.

DESDE EL PASTOR

Queridas Hermanas y Hermanos en el Señor:

La semana pasada, me llamó la atención una reflexión del Papa Francisco. Me gustaría compartir algo de eso y mi reacción a todo esto. En parte, el Papa Francisco dijo: "Hoy entramos, a través de las heridas de Cristo, en el misterio de Dios, nos damos cuenta de que la misericordia no es simplemente una de sus cualidades entre otras, sino el mismo latido de su corazón. Entonces, como Tomás, ya no vivimos como discípulos, inciertos, devotos pero vacilantes. ¡Nosotros también nos enamoramos del Señor! No debemos temer a estas palabras, enamorarnos del Señor".

"El Señor ciertamente quiere tocar nuestras heridas con las Suyas. Esto es lo que el mensaje de la Divina Misericordia proclama: "¡Oh, Sangre y Agua, que brotaron del Corazón de Jesús como fuente de Misericordia para nosotros, confío en Ti!" Jesús no se avergüenza de esto, "carnalidad". Al contrario, El sabe que el hombre necesita gráficos. El brotar de Sangre y Agua literalmente y en realidad de Su costado traspasado en el Calvario, y continuamente desde, sacramentalmente, es el cumplimiento de todos los intentos del Antiguo Testamento de 'ver a Dios cara a cara' ... No olvidemos que los Sacramentos no son una simple comida entre los amigos de la parroquia. La Sagrada Liturgia, Santa Misa, es también un encuentro individual en el Banquete de Bodas de Diving Mercy, en el que Cristo, el Hijo de Dios, une íntimamente a cada alma consigo mismo como el hueso de Su Hueso, carne de Su Carne".

Cuán maravillosamente eso cumple el pensamiento expresado en el siglo IV por San Agustín de que cada vez que participamos en la Sagrada Comunión se nos pide "recibir lo que eres y convertirte en lo que recibes". ¡Sé la Carne y Sangre de Jesús dada por la vida del mundo! "Es, de hecho, dentro del sacramento de la Eucaristía que a cada uno de nosotros se nos ha dado la oportunidad de unirnos a Jesús; para ser su discípulo Una vez que somos alimentados a través de su incorporación a nuestro corazón, solo podemos llevar ese don a nuestra voluntad de hacer lo que Él hizo: ir a los más necesitados y enseñarles mediante nuestro don de tiempo, talento y tesoro que son digno de cuidado. Santa Teresa de Calcuta lo dijo mejor: "Háznos dignos Señor, para servir a nuestro prójimo en todo el mundo que vive y muere en la pobreza y el hambre". Dale este día con nuestras manos, su pan de cada día y, mediante nuestro amor comprensivo, da paz y alegría. "Es una oración que oro cada vez que recibo el don de la Eucaristía. Te invito a considerar hacer lo mismo.

La paz sea contigo, Monseñor

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