

# Tri Parish Catholic Faith Community

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## St. Michael

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## St. Bernard

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(1847)



## St. Joseph

341 S SR 66  
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### Reconciliation

Monday pm St. Bernard  
Tuesday pm St. Michael  
Saturday pm St. Michael

*Other times available upon request*

### Baptism

Preparation class for parents required, contact parish office.

### Marriage

Six months preparation required, contact parish office.

### Sick/Shut-ins

Please call the parish office to request anointing of the sick and for home visits.

### New Parishioners

Contact the parish office for registration or pick up a form at the entrance to church and return to the parish office in the collection basket. We would love to have you become an official part of our parish family.

### Priestly and Religious Vocations

Contact Vocations Director/Archdiocese of Indianapolis at 1-800-382-9836, ext. 1490.

### Combined Parish Staff

Rev. Aaron Pfaff - Pastor - 812-364-6646  
E-mail: aaronpfaff@gmail.com

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### Mass Schedule This Week

Sunday NO MASS  
Monday NO MASS  
Tuesday NO MASS  
Wednesday NO MASS  
Thursday NO MASS  
Friday NO MASS  
Saturday NO MASS



# STEWARDSHIP

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## Information for all Parishes

In light of new information and recommendations from health officials concerning the danger of the COVID-19 pandemic and the urgency to stop the spread of the virus the five Catholic bishops of Indiana have suspended all public Sunday and weekday Masses. The archbishop's dispensation from the obligation to attend Sunday Mass from March 13 continues until further notice. St. Michael and St. Joseph Fish Fries have been discontinued for the remainder of the season as well. Information is continually changing. For updates you can visit [www.archindy.org](http://www.archindy.org) and click on the News Alert link for updates from the Archdiocese.

**Join us for Mass!** We will stream Mass with Fr. Aaron on Sundays at 9:30 a.m. on Facebook Live. If you have access to Facebook find us at St. Michael Catholic Church.

**Fr. Aaron will continue to say daily Mass** for the good of his parishioners and for the intention of those who have requested Masses to be prayed for loved ones. If you would prefer for a Mass that you have requested to be delayed until a public Mass can be said please let us know.

**Anyone wishing to contribute to our churches while we are closed may do so by mailing your contribution to the appropriate office. To help save on postage, you may combine and send one check for weeks at a time instead of mailing each week.**

**St. Michael Food Pantry** - We are out of everything **Except** Beans & Soups. You can call the office, let us know you have a donation, and then leave it at the front office door. We are still open! If someone from St. Bernard's wants to leave something for the food pantry, you may drop it by the office at St. Bernard's on Monday's and Wednesday's between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm or leave it in the walkway leading into the rectory at the side door. You also can take it directly to St. Michael's if you prefer.

St. Michael & St. Bernard Mass Intentions		
Saturday	March 28	Joanne Kochert
Sunday	March 29	Pete Martin
Monday	March 30	Elmer & Joyce Schlensker
Tuesday	March 31	Parishioners Intentions of St. Michael, St. Bernard, and St. Joseph
Wednesday	April 1	Lucy & Lester Heistand
Thursday	April 2	Father's Intention
Friday	April 3	Erwin Basch
Saturday	April 4	Jim Seipp
Sunday	April 5	Mary Saunders

## St. Michael

Office Hours: Monday – Thursday 10:00 am – 3:00 pm  
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**Lisa Murner** – Parish Secretary  
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Dorothy Dohoney, Beverly Dietrich, Barb Rainbolt, Joseph Robbeloth, Carol Ransom, Trish Wagner, Judy Rae Gettelfinger, Rose Kiefer, Anna Kaelin, Wanda Gehm, Julie Payne, Cletus & Priscilla Gettelfinger, Matthew Kruer, Jack Dohoney, Debbie Jones, Colette Murray, Casey Shaw, Linda Rothrock, Matthew Marino, Gretchen Hammett, Jaxon Nutini, Jerry Jacobi, Kyle Costello, Ray Kordek, Carol Cox, Doug Fessel, Patricia A. Trent, Roy Kruer, Luna Smith, Ted Lippert, Irma Morales, Cherie Vickers, Archdiocese of Indianapolis, All our Food Pantry and St. Vincent de Paul Friends.

**Please Pray for Our Military & Their Families**

CPO Johnathan Akers, Danny Baker, Tyler Hall, Lt. Col. Scott Schroeder, Zachary Shinkle, William Gilmer, Brad Missi.

<b>Weekly Collection:</b>	March 22, 2020
<b>Sun. Collection:</b>	\$ 1,120.00
<b>Needed for Budget:</b>	\$ <u>7,134.65</u>
<b>Difference:</b>	\$ - 6,014.65

<h2>St. Bernard</h2>
Office Hours: Monday & Wednesday 8:30 am – 2:30 pm Mailing Address: 7600 Highway 337 NW, Depauw IN 47115 Phone: 812-347-2326 Fax: 812-347-2172 <b>Michelle Whittaker – Parish Secretary – <a href="mailto:SaintBernardCatholicChurch@gmail.com">SaintBernardCatholicChurch@gmail.com</a></b>

**Please keep in your prayers:**

Mary Senn Taylor, Paul Bary, Bobby Harris, Donnell Royer, Wayne Smith, Marlana Cheatham, Toni Rothrock, Jolene Mauck, Olive Sarles, Linda Magill, Donna Schellenberger, David Mauck, Veronica Battista, Jim Nolot, Addley Gaines, Jean Newton, Sharon Bary, Rhonda Day, Larry Colin, Juanita Hughes, Sharon Patton, Julia Griffith, Jeff Mauck, Greg Byerley, Sandy Sieg, Michael Briscoe, Bryant Otto, Carolyn Cline, Susie Spears, Members of Military.



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**The St. Bernard Quilters** are raffling a quilt to be given away during the Mother Day’s Banquet on May 18<sup>th</sup>. The cost is \$2 each or 3 for \$5. You may also contact Jill Robertson, Marla Adams, Rita Colin or the parish office to purchase tickets. Any parishioners wishing to help sell tickets should contact Jill Robertson.

**Unity Meal** – All meals at Unity Chapel have been canceled as long as North Harrison Schools are closed.

**Cemetery** - Mowing season will soon begin. Please make sure that anything that is placed in the cemetery is attached directly to the headstone **tightly** and not just placed around in the grass. The mowers would certainly appreciate it.

<h2>St. Joseph</h2>
Physical Address: 341 S. SR 66, Marengo IN 47140 Mailing Address: 7600 Highway 337 NW, Depauw IN 47115 Phone: 812-347-2326 Fax: 812-347-2172 <b>Michelle Whittaker – Parish Secretary – <a href="mailto:SaintBernardCatholicChurch@gmail.com">SaintBernardCatholicChurch@gmail.com</a></b> <b>Father Fred Denison – Attended By</b>



*Please keep in your God bless prayers:*

Phillips Family, Norma Hurt, Michelle Garrett,



Pamela Byrne, Marty Will, Frank and Dee Hirsch, Roger Michels, Judy Neckar, Erin Haendiges, Gail Reyling, Imogene Talley, Carol Will, Richard Will, Father Fred, Mike Trusty, Francis Powell, Monty and Mary Garrett, Jane Newton, Jerry Amoroso, Frank Neckar, and all those suffering in any way.

**Our Military Family Members:**

Tom Shawler, Jr., Hannah Bradley, Chris Eaton

**Family and Friends of our parish members:**

Elaine Zipp, Ida Phillips, Angela Crecelius's sister; David Thomas – Susan Sauer's brother; Joan Jackson – Jane Newton's sister; Paul Panozzo; Elmer Ray Jenkins– Connie Conklin's father; Jamie Craig—Barb Flispart's son-in-law; Adeline Talley—Imogene Talley's granddaughter; Angela Crecelius's nephew – Martin Gabel; Mary Lee Sneed's brother – Victor Dubois; Robin Bowman; Joni Shaw - Patty Reyling's sister; and all Prayer Requests in the Prayer Book.

**Faith Formation News**

**Faith Formation Office Hours** are: St. Michael Church - Tuesday - Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Fridays 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. and St. Bernard Church – on Friday Mornings.

**Faith Formation News:**

**Upcoming Faith Formation Classes:**

As you know Faith Formation Classes have been suspended for the near future to limit the exposure to the COVID-19 virus. We will hold classes as soon as we are able.



**Operation Rice Bowl –**

The Children in our Faith Formation Program are saving money to donate to Catholic Relief Services through their Rice Bowl.

On the 5<sup>th</sup> Week of Lent we

know that young people must be provided good nutrition to be able to pursue their dreams. Did you have the opportunity to dream? What can you do to give young people the opportunity to dream? Visit [crsricebowl.org](http://crsricebowl.org) for more info. Don't forget to save a money in your rice bowl this week to fight hunger in our world.

**CYO Camp Rancho Framasa – Summer CYO**

Camp registration brochures are available in the Faith Formation Office or by going to <https://www.campranchoframasa.org>

**Youth Ministry News:**

Join us for Evening Prayer this Sunday! All youth are invited to join with Fr. Aaron and Deacon John for evening prayer this Sunday at 5:30 p.m. If you would like to join us send a note to Deacon John via email or

text and we will send you the link. Parents are welcome to join in as well.

**Confirmation Class –** Our next Confirmation Class will tentatively be on Sunday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

**Where can I watch Mass on Television or on the Internet?**

**WHAS Mass on the Air –** Sundays at 10:30 a.m.

**EWTN on TV or Internet –** Weekdays and Sundays 8:00 AM, 12:00 PM, & 7:00 PM on your local cable or dish provider or [ewtn.com](http://ewtn.com)

**Ideas for what to do when you can't attend Mass as a Family:**

- Watch mass on TV or Internet
- Read the readings and Gospel that would be at Mass that week (You can find them at <http://www.usccb.org/bible/readings/>)
- Take spiritual communion (find the prayer below)
- Listen to an online homily via podcast or YouTube
- Pray a rosary together (you might want to use this link <https://therosary.online/>)

For more ideas go to:

<https://www.catholicicing.com/weekly-mass-resources-for-kids/>

**Watching Mass at Home –** Many of us enjoy watching “mindless” TV from time to time. We have found ourselves passively watching the images in front of us. When it comes to watching Mass from home let us actively participate. Here are a few practical tips:


1. Get Ready: If you are able read the readings before Mass begins.

2. Silence is Golden. Quiet yourself and your surroundings.
3. Call to mind your intentions. If you are with your family voice those out loud. Don't forget those who are sick and for the health care workers that care for them.
4. Participate! Answer the prayers. Sit, stand, and kneel if you are able. Pray along!

**Spiritual Communion** – When you cannot receive the Eucharist physically, we can always receive spiritual communion:  
 In Union, dear Lord, with the faithful at every altar of thy Church where the blessed Body and Blood are being offered to the Father, I desire to offer You praise and thanksgiving. I believe You are truly present in the Most Holy Sacrament. And since I

cannot now receive You sacramentally, I beg You to come spiritually into my heart. I unite myself unto You, and embrace You with all the affections of my soul. Let me never be separated from You. Let me live and die in Your love. Amen.

- Question of the Week for the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent:**  
**Question for Children:** How do your actions show that you put your faith and trust in Jesus?  
**Question for Youth:** Lazarus received a second chance at life through Jesus. How have you experienced second chances in your own life?  
**Question for Adults:** The death from which we are called is healing from those things which bind us and hold us back: memories, fears, rejection, or other such things. What binds you? What keeps you from fully being your own most true self in Christ?



A staple in the New Albany Deanery, Summer Daze has a long history of providing opportunities for middle school youth to participate in hands-on service projects and to gather together for prayer and fun socials. This summer, we will focus on becoming more like "Saints of Service." Projects, such as working in soup kitchens, cleaning up neighborhoods, and organizing clothing closets, will be paired with the following afternoon fun activities for 100+ youth in our deanery:

June 2: Opening Mass and Outdoor Games  
 June 9: Activate  
 June 16: Art Camp  
 June 23: Jeffersonville Pool  
 June 30: Malibu Jack's

\*\*At this time, registration is on hold until we resume normal school/work conditions. Look for more info to come via our website, FB and Insta.\*\*

## HELP US DESIGN THE 2020 SUMMER DAZE TSHIRT



- GRAND PRIZE**
- Your logo on all 2020 Summer Daze merch
  - Free registration to all Summer Daze events (every Tuesday in June, 2020)
- 1st RUNNER- UP**
- One admission ticket to "Deanery Day" at Holiday World ( July 22, 2020)
- 2nd RUNNER- UP**
- Two admission tickets to "Deanery Day" at Slugger Field ( August 1, 2020)

- This contest is open to all current 5-7 grade youth who attend a Catholic parish or school in the New Albany Deanery.
- All entries must be original. Any submission featuring copyright protected photos, artwork or slogans will be disqualified.
- All entries must be computer generated or drawn by hand using one, two or three colors.
- Winners will be selected by a team of youth ministers, SALT and pastors.
- The grand prize winner will be announced at our opening Mass on June 2, 2020.

**DEADLINE FOR ENTRY APRIL 10**  
 SEND YOUR IMAGE (SCANNED OR PHOTO) TO  
 MICHELLE@CATALYSTCATHOLIC.ORG

## FORMED PICK OF THE WEEK



**Lectio: Salvation**  
 with Dr. Michael Barber

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