

# St. Andrew the Apostle Catholic Church

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*To learn anew the Gospel:  
The Good News that God loves us—Then to live it and share it.*



## From the Deacon's Bench

Brother and Sisters,

We're doing a little redecorating in the narthex. We've added a portrait of St. Mother Theodora Guerin, patron saint of our archdiocese, as well as the portraits of the six African American candidates for sainthood: Venerable Pierre Toussaint, Mother Mary Elizabeth Lange, Venerable Henriette Delille, Julia Greeley, Father Augustus Tolton, and Sister Thea Bowman. If you look around, you may spot the images of a couple popes who have been canonized in recent memory. But then take another look around at everyone in our little "Hall of Saints." We have the canonized saints. We have those who are on their way to canonization. And we have us. We may never be canonized, but by living holy lives, we will one day share the Solemnity of All Saints, November 1<sup>st</sup>, as our feast day.

In *Gaudete et Exsultate – On the Call to Holiness in Today's World*, Pope Francis writes, "We are frequently tempted to think that holiness is only for those who can withdraw from ordinary affairs to spend much time in prayer. That is not the case. We are all called to be holy by living our lives with love and by bearing witness in everything we do, wherever we find ourselves. ... Are you married? Be holy by loving and caring for your husband or wife, as Christ does for the Church. Do you work for a living? Be holy by laboring with integrity and skill in the service of your brothers and sisters. Are you a parent or grandparent? Be holy by patiently teaching the little ones how to follow Jesus." We are all called to holiness and, yes, to sainthood. We each have our own path to follow. And we have the saints around us to help us on the way.

"All you holy men and women, pray for us!"

Peace,  
Dcn. Kerry



## ***Please remember the following in your prayers...***

Lynn Allen (*Vivian Allen's daughter*)  
 Vivian Allen  
 Fred Arnold  
 Thea Barrett  
 Ollie Benberry (*Gracie Benberry's husband*)  
 Phil Bradshaw (*Peggy O'Connor-Campbell's brother-in-law*)  
 Roscoe Campbell (*Jerria Jones' nephew*)  
 Brenda Chaney  
 Morgan Craig (*Diane & Charlie's granddaughter*)  
 Mynelle Gardner  
 Morris Gardner  
 Carla Gerton  
 Catherine Hall (*Gloria Ellis' mother*)  
 Andrea Hill (*Jerria Jones' sister*)  
 Flossie Hill  
 Betty Jones  
 Beverley Jones  
 Gwendolyn King  
 Mary Martin (*Myrle Dulaney & Myrna Martin's sister*)  
 Martha Mayes (*Thelma Mayes' mother*)  
 Ray Owens (*Marie Owens' husband*)  
 James Patton (*Karen Martin's father*)  
 Adolph Peterson (*Evelyn Peterson's husband*)  
 Rita Prince (*Lorenza Prince's sister*)  
 Jim (Rookie) Reynolds (*Terri Cuellar's brother*)  
 Stanley Young (*Wanda Barrett's brother*)

***Please contact Deacon Kerry if you would like to add or remove someone from this Prayer List.***



Catholic Radio Indy will be celebrating its 17<sup>th</sup> Anniversary at their **Annual Dinner and Silent Auction**. The event will be August 24<sup>th</sup> at the Northside Events and Social Club at 71<sup>st</sup> and Keystone. A Reception and Silent Auction begin at 6:00 PM. Dinner begins at 7 PM. Fr. Vincent Lampert, Archdiocesan Exorcist, will be the speaker for the evening.



Catholic Radio began operation in this area 17 years ago at 89.1 FM and added 90.9 FM in Noblesville and 98.3 in Anderson. All three stations are full-time FM stations that operate 24/7. Their programming can also be heard at [www.CatholicRadioIndy.org](http://www.CatholicRadioIndy.org). Tickets are \$75 per person, and a table of eight is \$550. We will also be saying goodbye to General Manager, Jim Ganley, who is retiring after 17 years. More information about the dinner is available at 317-870-8400 or at [www.CatholicRadioIndy.org](http://www.CatholicRadioIndy.org).



### The Gospel of St. Mark Bible Study

St. Matthew Church, located at 4100 E. 56<sup>th</sup> Street, invites you to its next Scripture Study exploring *Mark: The Gospel through the Eyes of Peter*. The study will be held in person and will run 18 weeks (split into two 9-week sessions—fall and spring). The start dates—you may choose between Tuesday evening or Thursday morning meeting times—are as follows:

- Tuesday, September 14, at 7 p.m.
- Thursday, September 16, at 9 a.m.

Cost is \$40 per person and includes a workbook.

For more information, please see <https://bit.ly/stmattstudy>. The Web address is case-sensitive, so type it exactly as shown. Or, you may contact Leslie Kerr with questions or to register at (501) 590-6673 or at [l\\_kerr@comcast.net](mailto:l_kerr@comcast.net).

### How to Find Food Assistance

Community Compass — a virtual platform that connects Indianapolis residents with free meals and groceries, plus stores accepting SNAP and WIC benefits near them — is now available online at [www.communitycompass.app](http://www.communitycompass.app).

People using the website can access information in multiple languages.

The website, which went live Monday, July 26, lists upcoming food giveaways and meal services across the city. People can find grocery stores, pantries, and other resources near them simply by typing in their address or ZIP code. The results can be filtered based on what days a location is open and what type of service it provides.

The resource also helps people determine whether they are eligible for federal food assistance through the online chatbot “Shelly.”



**Schedule of Events**

**Sunday, August 1**

10:30 Mass

11:30 Eucharistic Adoration

**Wednesday, August 4**

8:30 Communion Service

**Sunday, August 8**

10:30 Mass

**Monday, September 6**

9:00 Tri-Parish Mass at St. Lawrence

**Sunday, September 12**

10:30 St. Peter Claver Day

City Celebration at St. Andrew

**Sunday, October 24**

10:30 75th Anniversary Celebration Mass  
(with Archbishop Thompson)

11:30 Brunch

**Ministers in Service - August 8**

**Ushers:** Pamela Stallworth (c), Don Szeszycki

**Lectors:** Michael Beason, Marie Beason

**Mass Intentions for the Week**

**Sunday, August 1**

10:30 am: Eric Schmiegel (d)

by Michael & Marie Beason

**Sunday, August 8**

10:30 am: Sophia Weiss (d)

by the Szeszycki Family

**RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults)**

Do you know of anyone who is interested in learning more about or joining the Catholic faith? RCIA sessions will begin on Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm. We will be working with St. Mathew and St. Lawrence Parishes as this allows us to form a larger community as we journey toward the Easter Vigil. Weekly sessions will meet at St. Lawrence. For more information, please contact Deacon Kerry.

**“Today you will be with me in paradise.”**

(Luke 23:43)

This is no idle promise for an indefinite future but a simple statement of what Christ can and will do today if we put our trust in him and open our lives to his presence and power.

For what is our tragedy but our failure to grasp what Christ can do for our lives here and now? And what is our glory but to discover with him how to live in heaven while we are still on earth?

- Howard Hagemen



No matter  
how stressed  
you are,  
remember  
how blessed  
you are

