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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

Brothers and Sisters,

Yesterday marked the 20th anniversary of the 9/11 attacks on our nation by al-Qaida terrorists. Where anniversaries may provide us with the time to reflect on the events that have taken place in our lives, this anniversary might seem to weigh a bit heavier than most.

Twenty-year anniversaries deserve special attention, not just because twenty years is a long time, but because they are intergenerational. Twenty year anniversaries are shared by those who experienced the event and remember and those who are simply too young to have any memory of it at all.

Twenty years ago, these events and how we overcame this tragedy gave us a sense of pride in America and in our ability to overcome adversity. We shared an all too brief sense of unity. But this year it may seem to be more difficult to capture that feeling. As a nation we have been through a rough few years. We have faced, and are still facing, a pandemic that took the lives of more than 643,000 Americans and pretty much brought our economy to its knees. We saw a contentious presidential election that ended with an outrageous attack on the U.S. Capitol.

This year's 9/11 remembrance must be about how we get back to becoming a nation working for unity and the good of all our people. It needs to be about how we move our country forward in the face of adversity and challenge. And, as in all things, we should begin in prayer.

Lord God, we pray that you would unify your people for the glory of your Name that all who call themselves Christians would rise up, believing your great Truth. Wake us up Lord! Remind us to live aware, to redeem the time, to listen to your words, to be willing to make a difference in this land. We pray for all those in authority, that you would give them your wisdom and discernment as they lead. We ask that you send us strong, faithful men and women to serve this nation and our people. Amen.

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.



FYI...

High School Placement Test

Cathedral High School will administer the High School Placement Test on the following Saturdays: October 30 and January 22. All tests begin promptly at 8:30 am. Parents are encouraged to join us for an information session/tour while your student is taking the test. Preregister by visiting www.gocathedral.com/placementtest.

Shadowing at Cathedral

Attention 8th graders! Come spend the day shadowing a student at Cathedral High School. You will attend classes, have lunch on us, and get to experience what a day in the life of a CHS student is like. Register today at www.gocathedral.com/shadow.

**National Migration Week 2021
“Towards an Ever Wider ‘We’”**

National Migration Week will take place September 20-26 and will culminate with the Vatican’s celebration of the World Day of Migrants and Refugees on September 26.

National Migration Week has been celebrated for nearly half a century as an opportunity to reflect on the circumstances confronting migrants, which includes immigrants, refugees, children, and victims and survivors of human trafficking.

This year’s theme is “Towards an ever wider ‘we,’” which comes from Pope Francis, who emphasized that “this focus calls on us to ensure that ‘after all this, we will think no longer in terms of ‘them’ and ‘those,’ but only ‘us’” (Fratelli Tutti, no 35).

Please Visit www.Archindy.org (under Featured Items) to learn more about the following three Archindy Migration Week events:

September 20, 2021 – 5:45 PM
Bilingual Mass w/ Archbishop Thompson
Our Lady of Greenwood Church

September 22, 2021 – 12:00 PM
Virtual Prayer Service for Migrants and Refugees
Please register at <https://nationalmigrationweek.everbrite.com>

September 26, 2021 – 5:30 PM
Ecumenical Prayer Service for Migrants and Refugees
St. Bartholomew Church, Columbus IN

**St Patrick’s Day Celebration at Holy Cross
Sunday, September 26th**

Corned Beef and Cabbage



Soda Bread

Doors Open 12:30 until 8:00 PM

Colts Game – 1:00 PM

Food for purchase – 2:00 PM

Live Music - Irish Stew; starts after Colts game (approximately 4:15)

Indianapolis Rogue Pipes and Drums

Raffle items include: Wheelbarrow of beverages, Waterford Crystal Bowl, Jack Doyle signed football, pull tabs and much more!

Wheelbarrow of Beverage raffle tickets available for sale now. Need not be present to win.

Presale tickets \$5.00; Admission at the door \$7.00.

For raffle/admission tickets or questions;

Carol 317-695-5421 or SPN Parish Office 317-631-8746

The funds raised help make it possible for us to continue to serve the local community through prayer, evangelization, and outreach to the poor and vulnerable. This event helps pay for meals at Thanksgiving and Christmas for over 450 families, weekly meals provided for shut-ins throughout the east side, and other parish outreach programs for our neighbors in need.

**Holy Cross Gym
125 Oriental Ave
Indianapolis, IN 46201**

Gambling# 002602



Schedule of Events

Sunday, September 12

10:30 St. Peter Claver City-Wide
Celebration at St. Andrew's

Wednesday, September 15

8:30 Communion Service

Sunday, September 19

10:30 Mass

Wednesday, September 22

8:30 Communion Service

Sunday, October 24

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

11:30 Brunch

Ministers in Service - September 19

Ushers: Jack Shields (c), Gigi Benbow

Lectors: Vicki Wisdom, Sharon Szeszycki

Mass Intentions for the Week

Sunday, September 12

10:30 am: Jeanne Chandler (d)
by Michael & Marie Beason

Sunday, September 19

10:30 am: Connie Koskinen (d)
by Charles Schisla

Communion Ministers Needed for Community North Hospitals

Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion are needed to bring Communion to the hospitalized at Community North Hospitals. Could you visit the sick one day a month? For more information, please contact Deacon Mike Braun at mbraun@saintsimon.org or call 317-965-8426.

O Lord, I groan and sigh when I think of the immense tasks and responsibilities you have laid on my shoulders because I know too well my failings and inadequacies. But I take hope in the promise that in my groans and confessions I am strengthened and forgiven and I am empowered and prayed for by your Spirit. I know full well that your yoke is easy and your burden is light compared to my trying to live and work without you. I praise you that I have experienced the difference between slavery in fear and service in friendship with you. May I never forget my need of your Spirit each moment of my life, and when I am groaning and sighing, may I be encouraged with the knowledge that you are there praying with me and for me through Jesus Christ, my Saviour. Amen.

- Louis Gifford Parkhurst Jr.

