

# January 28, 2024—The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

## St. Ann Catholic Church

6350 S. Mooresville Rd.  
Indianapolis, IN 46221

### Parish Office

317-821-2909

### Sacramental Emergency

317-839-4255

### Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

### Mass Schedule

Saturday Anticipation 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday and Thursday: 9:30 a.m.

### Adoration

Tuesday 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.

### Reconciliation

Saturday 3:15 p.m.—3:45 p.m.

Or by Appointment

### Parish Staff

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*The people who sit in  
darkness have seen a  
great light;  
on those dwelling in a  
land overshadowed by  
death, light  
has arisen.*

#### Daily Readings

	1st Reading	Psalm	2nd Reading	Gospel
Sun. 01-28	Dt 18:15-20	Ps 95:1-2,6-9	1Cor 7:32-35	Mk 1:21-28
Mon. 01-29	2 Sm 15:13-14, 30; 16:5-13	Ps 3:2-7		Mk 5:1-20
Tue. 01-30	2 Sm 18:9-10, 14b, 24-25a, 30-19:3	Ps 86:1-6		Mk 5:21-43
Wed. 01-31	2 Sm 24:2, 9-17	Ps 32:1-2, 5-7		Mk 6:1-6
Thur. 02-01	1 Kgs 2:1-4, 10-12	1 Chr 29:10-12		Mk 6:7-13
Fri. 02-02	Mal 3:1-4	Ps 24:7-10	Heb 2:14-18	Lk 2:22-40
Sat. 02-03	1 Kgs 3:4-13	Ps 119:9-14		Mk 6:30-34
Sun. 02-04	Jb 7:1-4, 6-7	Ps 147:1-6	1 Cor 9:16-19, 22-33	Mk 1:29-39

#### Commissions and Committees

Administrative/Finance—Ken Betz

Bulletin—Lisa Halbert

Festival—Tom & Rhonda Gerding

Giving Tree/Respect for Life—Mike Duffy

Ladies' Guild—Donna McGrath

Liturgy—Lisa Halbert

Men's Club—Jim White

Parish Council—Leslie Maxwell

St. Vincent de Paul—Tom Gerding

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#### Jesus is calling, "Pray with me."

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament takes place at St. Ann Catholic Church every Tuesday from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. We are in need of individuals to serve 1 or 2 hours. Please contact Donna McGrath for further information. 317-840-1979.

*We, the parishioners of St. Ann Catholic Church, are called to worship God, learn and share our faith as we serve the needs of all our neighbors.*

## Your Gifts

January 20-21, 2024	
Collection	\$3,816
Debt Reduction	\$115
Capital Maintenance	\$410
Total Weekly	\$4,331
Fiscal Year to Date—Overage	\$19,971
Seeds of Hope	\$15
Building Loan Balance as of 12/31/2023	\$684,100

### St. Ann 50-50 Report for 01-21-2024

Pot: \$532—#1157—Brian Lampert

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To be eligible to win, place your envelope containing \$2.00, with name and registered number in the 50/50 box located outside the office. Empty envelopes will be voided.

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**St. Ann Parish** has been given a goal of **\$18,561** for the **UNITED CATHOLIC APPEAL**.

As of 01/08/24 **forty-four** of **St. Ann's parishioners** have pledged a total of **\$12,494**. This is **67%** of our goal.

**Within the Archdiocese** of Indianapolis **\$4.55 million** has been pledged.

Giving doesn't just make the mission possible.  
Giving is part of the mission.

### Grieve Not Alone

An eight-week, scripture-based grief support program will be held at St. Ann Catholic Church each Tuesday beginning February 6th and concluding on March 26th.

Open to all parishioners, this program will be held in the Shireman Room from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, please consider joining us. For more information contact Linda Kile:

[linda@goangles.org](mailto:linda@goangles.org) or 317-213-4778.

## What Is Going On At Mass?

As we continue with the Liturgy of the Word we next examine the Responsorial Psalm which follows the First Reading.

Let us recall the benefits from the Old Testament and the First Reading. We have a God who desires a relationship with us. His faithfulness is forever present and his commitment to that relationship is unwavering. The only catch—it has to be our choice. He wants us to choose to be closer to him. He wants us to choose to get to know him. He wants us to choose to answer the invitation to his family. After all, he is the Forgiving Father and Patient Parent who has waited generations upon generations for humanity to respond to his call.

We do indeed have a God and Father to whom we can always turn and that, my friend, is something for which to be filled with JOY! May we sing his praises!

And that is exactly what we do with the Responsorial Psalm...Sing a joyful song unto the Lord!

The word psalm literally means a sacred song or hymn. Compiled over hundreds of years, from the time of Moses (1440 B.C.) through the Babylonian captivity (586 B.C), these songs were directed at God and used to help express and communicate our human condition to Him. The Psalms reveal the emotions of the psalmist from one extreme to another—from delighting in and praising God with fervor to repentance and crying out to him in despair.

The Book of Psalms may be summarized by five key words: Praise, Prophecy, Pain, Petition, and Poetry.

**Praise** of the Lord and His works in both creation and redemption;

**Prophecy** of deliverance, and of the coming Messiah;

**Pain** of our personal doubts, fears, and problems;

**Petition** for relief, forgiveness, reassurance and strength;

and the

**Poetry** of the psalmist's pen intended to be sung!

Jesus himself sang and prayed the psalms—these same words that we hear and sing each Sunday. Can it get much better than that—spending a little time with the Lord and using the exact words he used to pray? Sing to the Lord!

**Do This In Remembrance of Me!**

Fr. Luke Spannagel: The Mass—Step By Step

## St. Ann Prayer Chain

Ralph & Linda Hague  
 Bobby Hamblin  
 Mary C. Harris  
 Marilyn Hirzel  
 The Jim Johnson Family  
 Sandra Miller  
 Dave Shireman  
 Dr. & Mrs. Tom Thompson  
 St. Ann Parishioners

## St. Ann Mardi Gras Reverse Raffle Saturday February 10, 2024 5:00 P.M.

Jugs Chicken Dinner  
 Beer/Wine  
 Games  
 Auction  
 Fun & Fellowship  
 Top Prize \$1000

Raffle Ticket w/Dinner  
 (Limited Number)  
 \$40 each  
 Or 2 for \$75

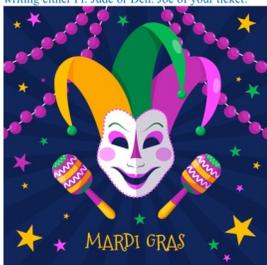
No Dinner Tickets will be sold  
 after Sunday, February 4<sup>th</sup>.

Raffle Chance Only  
 (No Dinner)  
 \$20 per Ticket  
 Tickets on Sale NOW  
 After Mass or at  
 Church Office  
 Questions:  
 Call 317-502-6327

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## MARDI GRAS MISCHIEF

Pie Father Jude or Deacon Joe?  
Vote for who takes a pie in the face 2/10/24 by  
 writing either Fr. Jude or Den. Joe of your ticket!



## St. Ann Mass Intentions

Sat. Jan. 27	4:00 p.m.	Jason Codarmaz
Sun. Jan. 28	9:00 a.m.	The Deceased members of the Barker Family and the Parishioners of St. Ann
Tue. Jan. 30	9:30 a.m.	Henry & Elizabeth Stewart
Thur. Feb. 01	9:30 a.m.	Jon Jacobson
Sat. Feb. 03	4:00 p.m.	Nathan Shaul and Parishioners of St. Ann
Sun. Feb. 04	9:00 a.m.	Pat Koerber

## Ministry Schedule

	Jan. 27 <sup>th</sup> 4:00 p.m.	Jan. 28 <sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m.	Feb. 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4:00 p.m.	Feb. 4 <sup>th</sup> 9:00 a.m.
Front Door	Pat Robinson		Pat Robinson	
Nave Door	Andrea Pratt		Marlene Russell	
Sacristan				
Altar Server	Kannon & Mindy		Kannon & Mindy	
1 <sup>st</sup> Reading	Tim Nawrocki		Suzanne Thurman	Linda Kile
2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading	Helen Rollison	Marie Schroeder	Helen Rollison	
Cantor				
EMHC	1	Andrea Pratt	Helen Rollison	Linda Kile
	2	Helen Rollison	Cindy Young	
	3	Cincy Young	Pat Robinson	
	4	Pat Robinson		
	5			
	6			

## Recently Departed Loved Ones

Mary Cathrine Benell—Mother of Nickie Morgan  
 Jim Johnson  
 Tom Simpson—Brother of Joe Simpson  
 Charles C. Thompson Sr.—Father of Archbishop Thompson  
 Cindy Gregory—Sister of Sally Brandenburg and Mary Dyer and cousin of Marlene Russell.  
 Marilyn Dye  
 Patricia Lee  
 Irudhayaraj Danasamy—Uncle of Fr. Jude  
 Pat Sward—Mother of Mary (Walter) Johnson  
 Esther Karnes  
 Mary Helen Valentine  
 Nathaniel Shaul Grandson of Clauia Hilligoss  
 Pat Koerber

Please notify the office when a loved one passes away.

## Mardi Gras Donations

Did you happen to receive items for Christmas that ... just aren't right for you? We have a solution. Donate those gift cards, bottles of liquor, stocking stuffers, or other new items to the St. Ann Mardi Gras for the "Mystery Bags" or Silent Auction. Monetary donations are also accepted (we'll do the shopping) as there are no sponsorships for this event.

Donations should be dropped off at the St. Ann Parish Office during office hours (9:00-2:00) Monday-Friday.

For information contact Brenda Danner (317-502-6327) or Jennifer Fournier (317-965-6639).

Thank YOU for sharing and for your support!

## Student Essay Contest

The Serra Club of Indianapolis is sponsoring its 2024 annual vocations essay contest. The contest is open to any Catholic student in grades 7 through 12 in parochial, public or homeschool systems in the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Deadline for submission of essay is March 6<sup>th</sup>, 2024. For more information contact the St. Ann Parish Office or Dick Cannon, at dickc610@gmail.com.

**Want to help promote your ministry or church social group? Inform your parish family by submitting information about upcoming events for inclusion in the bulletin. Digital photos of activities are also encouraged.**

**Please help us keep the parish informed of your activities!**

### Bulletin Deadlines:

**Submissions must be made by 10:00 a.m. on Tuesday prior to publication release. Desired entries should be sent to the *email address*:**

**Bulletin@stannindy.org**

## CORNHOLE BASEBALL

The first game of the new season turned out to be our biggest game yet. We had 11 players per team. The Blue Team started out with the lead, but by the 3rd inning the Red Team's bats got hot and they never looked back. Andrea's elixir may have had something to do with it. Next game will be February 16<sup>th</sup>. Come join us for fun and fellowship following the fish fry.

See winning team pic on bulletin board.

## Upcoming Events

- Jan 28:** Special Collection for Church in Latin America  
Lector Training 10:00-11:00 a.m.
- Feb. 04:** Coffee and Donuts after Mass
- Feb. 10:** Mardi Gras 5:00 p.m. St. Ann Social Hall
- Feb. 11:** Special Collection for Church in Central and Eastern Europe
- Feb. 14:** Ash Wednesday Mass 12:00 noon St. Ann; 6:30 p.m. St. Thomas More
- Feb. 16:** Fish Fry 5:00-7:00 p.m. Stations of the Cross 6:30 p.m.  
Cornhole Baseball following Fish Fry
- Feb. 18:** Eucharistic Minister Training 10:00-11:00 a.m.

## Pilgrimage to Fatima and Lourdes

Please join us on a pilgrimage with Fr. Charles Robinson, F.I. to Fatima and Lourdes, with stops in Avila, and Azpeitia, Spain where St. Ignatius of Loyola was born. Daily Mass and more!

**September 10-19, 2024.** \$3595/per person. **\$150 early bird discount if registered by Feb. 15th.** For more information please visit [www.QoHTours.com](http://www.QoHTours.com) or call us at 1-800-213-4295.

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Contact [research@archindy.org](mailto:research@archindy.org) for further details

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