

*St. Ann Catholic Church
Newsletter*

*We are here to serve our parish &
community. Come grow with us.*

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40 DAYS FOR LIFE

**40 Days for Life
The 40 Days for
Life vigil will be
held daily
through March
25 outside the
Planned
Parenthood at
8590
Georgetown Rd.
Join pro-lifers
from across
central Indiana
in praying to
change hearts
and save lives.
St. Ann Parish
has been as-
signed the 5-6
pm slot on
Thursdays, but
you may attend
at any time.
Please visit
[www.40daysind
y.org](http://www.40daysind
y.org) to sign up.**

**gPRAY FOR OUR MILITARY
MEMBERS THAT GOD IS
WITH THEM AND THEY
RETURN SAFELY TO THEIR
FAMILIES ...
GIVE THANKS FOR THEIR
SERVICE**

Spc. Brayden Thacker, Army (Friend of Gary Cahill & Kelly O'Brien); CW2 Gregory Kilpatrick, Army, (son of Janet Schlien); Stf Sgt. Jim Henckel, Army, (Grandson-in-law of Lee Wenzlick); Pfc. Rob Wolfla, Marine, (Grandson of Joe Wolfla); Spc. Mary Blankenship, Army, (friend of Anna Brown & G.Granddaughter of Ruth Joyn-er); 2nd Lt. Howard Avery, Army Chaplain, (son-in-law of Nancy Giordano); Rev. Uzoma Uwakwe, Army Chaplain, (sent to Iraq & Afghanistan), 1st Lt. Greg Oliver, Marines, (Friend of Joe Lux); Sgt. Charles Shepherd, Army, (Son of Lesa Shepherd & Grandson of Lillian Spurgeon); Spc. Steven Caldwell, Army, (Son-in-law of Jane & Duke Bilyeu); Spc. Nathan Purdue, Army, (Grandson of Virgil & Lois Purdue); MSgt. Angela C. Cruz & StfSgt. Roger Cruz, Air Force, (Daughter & Son-in-law of Christine Ridener); Sgt. Jimmy Perryman, Pfc. Charles Perryman, Pfc. Danny Perryman, Army, (Friends of Christine Ridener); Afc. Cornelius E. Anderson III, Air Force, (Grandson of Shirley Anderson); Kenneth Stowe, Navy, (Grandson-in-law of Shirley Anderson) L Cpl Justin Michael grandson of Cecily Ramey . LCpl Justin Michael is with the U S Marines Sgt. James Elliott, Army (brother of Tina Waggoner) Lt. Daniel Reid, Air Force, (brother in law of Tina Waggoner) Michael Martin (great nephew of Marigrace Nichols)

May those who have gone before us rest in Christ's peace. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

If you would like to add a name, contact Alana or Chad Swain at caswain223@sbcglobal.net

ST. ANN'S MARDI GRAS REVERSE RAFFLE

*Thank you! Thank
you! Thank you!
Our reverse raffle
held on February
10, 2018 was a
great success. The
net profit was
approximately
\$12,300.00 Thank
you to all our
parishioners who
helped make the
event so profita-
ble. See you at our
next raffle in
2019. Thanks!
Thanks! Thanks!*

*Reverse Raffle
Committee*

**ST. ANN'S
PRAYER LIST
INTENTIONS**

February /March 2018

All nursing home residents & the homebound, The sick & their caregivers, All members of the military, Vocations to the priesthood & religious life, Fallen away members of the Catholic Church, All those in mourning, Growth & prosperity of St. Ann Catholic Church, Respect for life, All St. Joseph Catholic Church prayer chain intentions, All St. Thomas More Catholic Church prayer chain intentions, All those suffering from natural disasters, Kay Gambel, Carolyn Kavanaugh, Bryan Williams, Carmen Codarmaz, Bruce & Mary O'Neal, Pauline Pinnick, Shirley Anderson, Shirley Bevers, Irene Stahlhut, Corydon Hacker, Bailey Day, Jim Cesnik, Michael Sekulich, Elsie Vogel, Mary Ann Grzelak, Cleta Kavanaugh, Flo DeMartino Chris Haggengos & Brother, John Scheetz, Paul Schlien, Adam Cesnik & Family, St. Ann Parishioner, Tami Wilgus, Linda Staten, Sue Strube, John Cox, Susann Angermeier, Elida Jones, Josephina, Nancy Mindrup, Tony Baar, Don Wilgus, Richard Martin, Katelyn Hilligoss, Jean Patton, Ted Hooker, Nicole Y., Gloria & Jerry Holmes' 18 Month Old Granddaughter, Lisa, Hugo P., Jim Goodge, Erin M., Holly, Scott Sekulich, Adult Woman & Her Family, Rita Greder, Helen Buckallew, Donna Sickle's Great-Grandson, Evelyn Bevers, Izzy Borsa, John Tague, Jordan Linkous, Michael (Travis) Nolin, Norma Haley, Valerie Scott, Jim Peterec, Leighann Cox, Charlotte Dubvak, Mike Grzelak, Nina Wilson, Rose Marie Santos, St. Ann Parishioner's Friend's Mother & Father, Lindy Parish, Joyanna, Casey Palpo, Margaret, Raphael Gonzalez & Family, Sharon Williams, Courtney DeHaven, Lisa Ferguson, Jason Young, Paul Cummings, Oliverio Guzman, Fredericka Graves, Cathy, Linda Cox, Alana Swain, Ed Mong, Conrado & Norma, Steve Groves & Family, Someone having problems after eye surgery, St. Ann Parishioner's Grandson, Suzanne Suter, Mike Angermeier, Mike McCullough, Bryan Coffey, Rose Slocum, Benita Paul, Joe Guagenti and family, Joseph Nichols, Phoenix Sizwmore

Robert O'Connor , Jeff & Chris Harreld, Betty O'Connor , Jovita & Family , Stephanie , Tom Duffy , Jeanna Borsa Leroy Williams ,Pam King

**SPRING AND
BEING A
LENTEN**

**ONE TINY PURPLE
CROCUS IN BLOOM.
SNOWDROPS UP AND
NODDING THEIR WHITE
CAPS. A DAFFODIL IN
BUD BY THE SOUTH
DOOR OF ST. ANN'S.
THE END OF FEBRUARY
AND WE ARE 1/3 OF
THE WAY THROUGH
LENT.**

**LENT IS REFLECTION
AND PREPARATION. THE
LENTEN SCRIPTURAL
AND GOSPEL READINGS
REMINDE US OF CHRIST'S
JOURNEY THROUGH HIS
LIFE ON EARTH. HE
TEACHES US TO LIVE A
LIFE OF LOVE OF GOD
AND EACH OTHER. HE
IS PREPARING US FOR
HOLY WEEK AND THE
GLORIOUS JOY OF
EASTER. WE STILL
HAVE OUR 2/3RDS OF
LENT TO COMPLETE.**

**LIKE THE INDICATIONS OF
IMPENDING SPRING, WE SEE
THE SCRIPTURES AS
INDICATIONS OF THE PROMISE
OF EASTER. WE PREPARE
OUR HEARTS AND LIVES FOR
THE WARMTH OF THE SUN
AND THE SON. WE EMBRACE
THE SIGNS OF SALVATION.
WE ARE BEING LENTEN.**

**MAKE THE MOST OF THE
REMAINDER OF LENT. COME
AND PARTICIPATE IN THE
SOUP AND BREAD SUPPERS
ON WEDNESDAYS; THE WAY
OF THE CROSS ON FRIDAYS;
THE SEDER SUPPER; AND THE
JOURNEY OF HOLY WEEK.
MARY JANE JONES**

**(MARCH IS ALSO PI DAY
(3.14), BEWARE THE IDES OF
MARCH (3/15), ST.
PATRICK'S DAY (3/17), AND
THE SPRING EQUINOX (3/21)**

*The
Season
of
Lent*

