

January 14, 2018 ~ 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

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MASS TIMES

Saturday ~ 5pm
Sunday ~ 8am & 10:30am
Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri. ~ 7am

Confessions:

Tues. thru Fri. ~ 6:30am-6:55am
Saturday ~ 4:00 - 4:45pm

READINGS

Sun the 14th: 1 Sam 3:3-19; Ps 40:1-10; 1 Cor 6:13-20; John 1:35-42
Mon the 15th: 1 Sam 15:16-23; Ps 50:8-23; Heb 4:12; Mark 2:18-22
Tue the 16th: 1 Sam 16:1-13; Ps 89:20-28; Eph 1:17-18; Mark 2:23-28
Wed the 17th: 1 Sam 17:32-51; Ps 144:1-10; Matt 4:23; Mark 3:1-6
Thu the 18th: 1 Sam 18:6-9, 19:1-7; Ps 56:1-13; 2 Tim 1:10; Mark 3:7-12
Fri the 19th: 1 Sam 24:3-21; Ps 57:1-11; 2 Cor 5:19; Mark 3:13-19
Sat the 20th: 2 Sam 1:1-27; Ps 80:1-7; Acts 16:14; Mark 3:20-21

Samuel ran to Eli and said, "Here I am." (1 Samuel 3:5)

Learning to hear God's voice isn't always easy. Just ask Samuel. But this story has three pieces of encouraging news for all of us. **First**, it's okay to struggle and get it wrong. Samuel occasionally missed God's voice as well, even years after this event. We're all still learning how to tune into the Spirit.

Second, God was very patient with Samuel, even when he didn't catch on immediately. The Lord is patient with us too. He keeps sending messages our way, even though he knows we will likely miss some of them in the commotion of life. **Finally**, the last bit of news might come as a surprise. You're probably hearing from the Lord already; you just may not realize it yet. Why did Samuel run to Eli when God called him? Perhaps God's voice sounded more "natural" than he presumed, so he looked for a natural source. Imagine how thrilled Samuel must have been to discover that it was God calling him all along. The same is true for us. God doesn't usually speak to us with an audible voice. Rather, he often chooses natural means, including our consciences and our imaginations. Sometimes our thoughts and feelings—even mental images we see—have their source in God. As you keep leaning into him, trust that the Lord will give you ears to hear his voice. **"Lord, I'm honored that you speak to me. Help me to tune into what you're saying."**

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday, January 15

7am: + Communion Service

Tuesday, January 16

7am: + Edmund & Rosie Volz

Wed., January 17~ St. Anthony, Abbot

7am: +John Holzer

Thursday, January 18

7am: + Fr. Robert Mazzola

Friday, January 19

7am: + Michael Rensing Family

Saturday, January 20

5pm: + Peg Hudepohl

Rosary; Glorious Mys. 4:35pm Martha Bishop

Lector: Joe Moll

Servers: Jonathan & Adam Bruner

Gift Bearers: Steve & Donna Delap Family

Ushers: Lawrence Cutter

Euch. Min.: Mary Ann Lows, Bill Bishop, Shirley Riley

Sunday, January 21

8am: + Fr. Mark Gottemoeller

Rosary; Glorious Mysteries 7:35am Mary Nierlich

Lector: Mary Wickersham

Servers: Zach Riehle, Emily Campbell

Gift Bearers: Eric & Marlene Riehle Family

Ushers: Brian Vogel, Gerrie Driggers

Eucharistic Min: Rose Gauck, Nolan Wanner,

Ray Hopping

10:30am: + Our Parishioners

Rosary; Glorious Mysteries 10:05am Kathy Tekulve

Lector: Sherry Hawk

Servers: Dalton Wuest, Anna Herzog

Gift Bearers: Ralph & Vicki Seiler

Ushers: Gary Taylor

Euch. Min: Ed Herzog, Lori Lewis, Mary Perkins



The Milan Food Pantry is open Tue. from (9-10:30 AM) and Tue. afternoon from (5-6pm). The Food Pantry serves between 75 to 85 people each month. The people that oversee it would like to thank St. Charles Parish for all the food they provide each month. **Please be sure to pick up your brown bag at Mass and return filled with groceries on Sunday, January 28th!**

Thank you to my St. Charles Church Family for your prayers, letters, cards, visits and thoughts during the Advent/Christmas Season. ~Walt Hudepohl

Everyone is invited to Ripley Crossings each Tuesday evening at 6:30pm for rosary/sing-along with the residents. There is mass offered on the 3rd Tuesday of each month.

At all the Masses on January 20th and 21st, we will start our annual "Spiritual Adoption" Program. The details of the program will be explained next weekend. Your prayers can make a difference in the LIFE of an unborn child.



E6 Catholic Men's Conference: Feb. 24-All Saints Parish, in association with the Batesville Deanery, is proud to announce registrations are being accepted. Register at www.evenbrite.com

We Welcome New Parishioners We always welcome new members and hope that you will find our parish family a place where your faith will be nourished. Registration forms are available in the rack in the back of church.

We are in need of weekday mass intentions for February/March. Envelopes are in back of church or use own. Drop in collection or mail.

Ash Wednesday and Lent are rapidly approaching – Feb. 14th! Just like in years past, there will be an evening mass on Wednesdays and Way of the Cross on Friday nights. Lectors (readers) and servers are requested. There will be a sign up sheet in the church entryway. Please help if you can. **(Confirmation candidates: This is a great opportunity for service time.)** Please consider attending church or volunteering to read or serve during Lent – let's use this year's Lenten season to come closer to God and reflect on the sacrifice that Jesus made for each one of us. "Take up your cross and follow Me."

Holy Hour for Vocations- Tue. Feb 6~7pm The Vocation Office is hosting an hour of Eucharistic Adoration in each deanery of the Archdiocese. The intent is to gather people from cross the Archdiocese to ask our Lord to send out laborers for the harvest. Please join us at St. John Church, Dover of All Saints Parish to pray for many young people to open their hearts to hear God calling them to service in the Church. All are welcome, including families and children.

PRAYER LIST:

Al Mathes
Bob Ashcraft
Finley Jay Thome
Shirley Volz
Vicki Seiler
Kaleb Leinberger
Reed Thompson
Carol DuChemin

David Derby
Norman Meyer
Marilyn Hormann
Danny Salyers
Martha John
Jack Jennings
Jenny Heis
Anita Grehl
Sara Manifold-Williamson
Bill Wilkymacky

Hannah Sharp & Fam.
Joe Clarkson
Martha Miller
Jim Knecht
Kathy Nimmer
Earl Carpenter
Walter Hudepohl
Nick Bergmann

Contributions statements will be mailed to each household by the end of January. Please contact the office if you feel there is an error after reviewing it. *****Also**, there will be a census form enclosed in which we ask you to fill out and please return in the collection. This will hopefully, help us to update our parishioner records.

Share your treasure

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| Coll. Jan. 6/7th | \$ 2,972.10 |
| Weekly Budget | \$ 3,192.00 |
| Difference: | - \$ 219.90 |
| YTD Difference | + \$3,919.40 |

Great news! Our tithing budget as of January 10th is \$3,919 over budget!! Thank you for your generosity!!

For great Catholic movies/presentations check out this parish funded benefit: go to: Formed.org Click on Register For parish code, use: VHQC3Z Fill in email and click GO Fill in your information and click SUBMIT

See the bulletin board for more information on these events:

Eucharistic Healing Service at St. Nicholas on Jan. 16, St. Nicholas School Open House on Jan. 31, Celebration of Love on Feb. 10, Natural Family Planning Class on Feb. 4, Breakfast at St. Peter's Church on Jan. 28, Women's Conference on March 3rd, Open Hours for Adoration Chapel, All Saints Fish Fry, Chocolate Event at St. Anthony Church on Feb. 10, Free Throw Championship on Jan. 20th at St. Lawrence School Gym, Oldenburg Academy and the RAA will be hosting the Christian band **The Lasting Hope** on Feb. 2, Holy Hour for Vocations on Feb 6 at St. John's Church