

## LITURGICAL MINISTRY

### SATURDAY, JULY 20

Rosary	Dolores Ziliak
Sacristan	Dennis Titzer
Gifts	Bailey Spindler, Jack Anderson
Lector	Dennis Titzer
Servers	Isaac Ivy, Teddy O'Connor
Greeters	Schleter Family
Cantor	Leroy Seib
Money Counters	Dennis Gress Holly Heichelbech

### Homebound EM Traveling Chalice

Dennis Titzer  
Jim & Jan Schmitt

### SATURDAY, JULY 27

Rosary	Dennis Titzer
Sacristan	John Spindler
Gifts	Spencer & Abby Heichelbech
Lector	Payton Steckler
Servers	Molly Schnarr, Carson Heichelbech
Greeters	John Spindler, Harrison Steckler
Cantor	Emily McDaniel, Hannah Rodgers
Money Counters	Jenny Fuhs Mike Smith

### Homebound EM Traveling Chalice

Lori Spindler  
Jim & Jan Schmitt

## MASS INTENTIONS

### Saturday, July 20 - 5:30 p.m.

+ Linda Folsom

### Thursday, July 25

**NO MASS**

### Saturday, July 27 - 5:30 p.m.

+ Clemens & Marie Obert & August Wulf

### Stewardship of Treasure

July 13 Collection	<b>\$2,019.00</b>
Needed for weekly budget	\$1,820.96

YTD Collection	\$8,866.00
Needed to meet budget	\$5,462.88
YTD Variance	<b>\$3,403.12</b>

Children's Collection	\$3.00
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*Thank you for your generosity!*

*\*New fiscal year began July 1*

It is good to be home! The last two weeks have felt like quite a whirlwind of events. To be honest I am still processing and trying to wrap my head around all that we experienced on this wonderful and rewarding mission trip.

We took off for Nashville on Saturday, June 29th. From there, it was two full days of non-stop travel including one sixteen and half hour flight. All seven team members landed in Cambodia at 9:30 am on July 2. Nic Davidson, the leader of our mission trip in Cambodia met us there with a whole welcoming crew of people including his kids, another missionary who is taking a gap year with them, and two NAC seminarians from Minnesota and South Dakota. After checking into our hotel, we grabbed a quick lunch, and said Mass at the local Catholic Church. I might add that it was a God moment that the parish was St. John the Evangelist.

We then went straight to an orphanage that is run by the Missionaries of Charity. This Orphanage housed about forty children, the youngest being 3 months old and the oldest being four years old. The team quickly got to work being greeted by these joyful children as they sang to us and greeted us as new friends. Some showed the older kids how to use watercolor paint for the first time, and we read books to them. Thanks to all who donated these! The kids all loved these activities, and they were not ready for them to end, but soon it was nap and snack time for them, and we were off to our next stop.

We visited the orphanage several times and each time was filled with blessings. The guys in our group were in charge of helping the little boys play recorders that we had brought with us. Turns out boys are the same no matter what country you are in, and when handed the recorders they immediately did what all little boys do, and they used them as swords to fight one another. We then headed to the next mission site where we were greeted by a group of about 50 grade school through high school students who were hanging out at the Pastoral Home. This home is nothing short of a miracle, and is a haven for these children and for the community. They primarily live in the local slums. These kids were joyful, helpful, polite, and playful. This home is run by a local couple that has two young children and is pregnant with their third. They were asked by the local priest to run this home for kids in the area and to help teach them about God and about living a Catholic life. Nic and his wife Jacelynn have worked closely with this couple since moving to Cambodia two years ago. What they have done there to give the kids a safe place to pray, play, and eat is nothing short of a miracle. This couple welcomes any child into their home from after school until it is time for bed. They also have five teen girls who live with them so that they do not have to do what most impoverished teenage girls their age often end up in: prostitution. Evenings there closed with Night Prayer and a beautiful hymn to Our Blessed Mother.

There is so much to tell that this will likely be a series. A big first takeaway is that we should be grateful for being in our country, and what that affords us in faith, opportunity, and family.

Thanks again for all those who made this possible. More to come!

Yours in Christ,

Lokpok (Cambodian for 'Father') Chris

# ST. BERNARD PARISH NEWS

**There will not be Mass on Thursday, July 25. Father will be on vacation.**



St. Bernard's Parish Picnic will be on Saturday, August 10 after the 5:30 pm Mass. The Altar Society will be providing dinner and dessert. Please sign-up in the back of church or text Jess Anderson at 812-664-7280. We hope to see everyone!

### St. Bernard Social - Save the Date!!

This year's social is on September 8. As always, we will need everyone's help to make this a successful event. We will be working on the work list soon. If you know of any changes needing made, please text Lori Spindler (812-664-2511).

### Altar Society News

The next Altar Society Meeting will be on Wednesday, July 31 at 6:30 p.m. in the School Hall. All committee chairpersons are asked to attend to discuss the upcoming social. If you are unable to attend, please let Jess know.

Elections for the Altar Society officers will be on August 10 after Mass.

### Parish Council Nominations

Nominations for the Parish Council are needed. If you would like to be on a certain commission that you are not already on or an at-large member, please sign up in the back of church by July 28. If necessary, we will have elections in August. If you have questions, please contact Nick Ivy, Parish Council President.



### Brute Award Nominations

Brute Award nominations are now being accepted for the Brute Award which recognizes outstanding models of Christian stewardship. Nomination sheets are in the back of church with a short description of who you are nominating and why. You may put it in the collection labeled "Brute" by August 5. Previous recipients are on the church website.

### Fleas

All **gently used** items can be placed in the rectory basement. We are accepting all items except women's clothing. If you have any questions, please see Sarah Spindler or Jess Anderson. Please have all fleas dropped off by **August 15** so the committee has time to price items.

### Basket Raffle Stand

Last year's basket raffle was a huge success. Thanks to everyone who made baskets and/or bought chances!! We would like your family to create a theme basket to be raffled off at the chicken dinner. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church along with lists for new ideas. Haven't made a basket before? Please consider it this summer. Families can go together to help with cutting costs. These creative baskets have been successful. Baskets are due on or before September 1<sup>st</sup> or bring the morning of the dinner. Thank you in advance for your support!



\*The Parish Council Minutes from June are now available in the back of church.

\*New Liturgy assignments are in the back of church or can also be found on the church website.

### July Church Cleaners

**Tammy Meny, Jamie Schnarr, Stephanie Meny, Renee Wilson**  
**Men's Team**  
 Jeff Meny Team

### Upcoming Youth Events

Aug. 2-4 – HS Boys Retreat

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### HS Boys Summer Retreat

This year we're heading back to the House of Discernment for our HS boys retreat from Aug 2-4. All HS boys (including incoming freshmen & outgoing seniors) are invited to enjoy 3 days of fun, service and spiritual activities. We have a packed schedule that includes outdoor games, time for prayer and worship, guest speakers, etc. Cost is \$20 per person. Waiver & fee are due in any parish office by Tues., July 30<sup>th</sup>.

### HS Girls Summer Retreat

On Aug. 2-4, we're having our summer girls retreat on Sts. P&P campus. A 2-night stay over the weekend, it'll include fun activities, volunteer work, guest speakers, spiritual activities, and some good quality time relaxing with your sisters in Christ! This is open to all girls from incoming freshmen to outgoing seniors. Cost is \$20. Waiver and fee are due in any parish office by Tues, July 30<sup>th</sup>. Any question contact Jamie Baehl at 664-4955 or Bryan Macke 812-664-7992.

Any questions/concerns about youth events please contact Bryan Macke at 664-7992 or [bmacke@evdio.org](mailto:bmacke@evdio.org). Diocesan Event Waivers can be found in the back of each church or on our webpage at [www.smgyouth.com](http://www.smgyouth.com)



**Haubstadt's Knights of Columbus** is hosting a carryout chicken dinner for South Gibson seminarians, Clint Johnson, Dylan Stefanich and Brian Ward (Holy Cross). On Sunday, July 28, enjoy fried chicken, dressing, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, slaw and dessert. Adult meal \$13 & Child meal \$6. Dinners will be served from 10:30 a.m. until sold out at Haubstadt KofC Hall, 117 S Main Street. To REQUEST SHUT-IN DELIVERY – contact Bob @ 812-746-5591 on Sunday before 10:30am.

### St James invites you to our 62nd Annual Summer Social on Sunday, August 4

Bring your loved ones for a day of faith-filled family fun! Come hungry and ready to socialize with our parish community. We will have chicken & beef dinners for dine in or carry out, our FAMOUS burgoo, sandwiches, and much more! There will also be many booths to visit such as our Country Store, Woodshop, Silent Auction, Basket Raffle, and Paddle Wheel. There is also lots of fun to be had with the kids in our Kid's Korner! We are located at 12300 S. 50 W. Haubstadt, IN 47639, about 12 miles North of Evansville on Old Princeton Road. License #002451

**The Benedictines of Mary Queen of Apostles** are so blessed to have come to the Diocese of Evansville, IN. We have been overwhelmed by so much kindness and generosity shown by the Catholic community here. On May 13th the Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, 7 of us Sisters embarked on this new adventure leaving our Motherhouse, the Abbey of Our Lady of Ephesus in Gower Missouri to found a new house here in this diocese, The Monastery of St. Anne. We moved into the former Poor Clare Monastery on Nurrenbern Road and have been trying to settle in slowly but surely.

As we begin much needed renovations to our Chapel and Monastery this July, we humbly ask for your kind help in this endeavor. Anything you can do to help will be greatly appreciated. As Benedictines of Mary, Queen of Apostles, we offer our prayers and sacrifices for our Priests, Holy Mother the Church, for all of you and so many souls in need! If you would like to send a donation, a check can be written out to: Benedictines of Mary Mailing address: Benedictines of Mary - Monastery of St. Anne 6825 Nurrenbern Road Evansville, IN 47712



### MASS SCHEDULE - ST. BERNARD

Saturday - 5:30 p.m.

Thursday - 6:00 p.m.

### MASS SCHEDULE - ST. JOHN (DAYLIGHT)

Saturday - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday - 7:15 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Tuesday - 8:00 a.m.

Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.

Thursday - 8:00 a.m.

Friday - 9:00 a.m.



## Welcome to St. Bernard A Catholic Community Since 1877

5342 E. State Road 168

Fort Branch, IN 47648

**Pastor:** Fr. Chris Forler

**Deacons:** Vince Bernardin, Richard Leibundguth, Lonny Davis

**Catechetical Leader:** Rose Obert

**Office Managers:** Lori Spindler ([lspindler@evdio.org](mailto:lspindler@evdio.org))  
Terri Ziliak ([tziliak@evdio.org](mailto:tziliak@evdio.org))

**Maintenance:** Jeff Meny (812-385-6861)

**Parish Council President:** Nick Ivy

**Altar Society President:** Jessica Anderson

**School Hall Rental:** Terri Ziliak/Lori Spindler

**Table & Chair Rental:** Jeff & Tammy Meny

**Parish Website:** [stbernardsnakerun.org](http://stbernardsnakerun.org)

**Parish Office:** 812-615-0201

**Adoration:** First Friday of each month 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

### Sacraments:

**Reconciliation:** Before Thursday evening Mass starting at 5:15 p.m.

**Baptism:** Must sign up for Baptismal Class. Call the parish office to make arrangements.

**Marriage:** Call the parish office at least six months in advance.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Administered by appointment.



Our parish invites you to join our church family! All new parishioners can register by emailing [lspindler@evdio.org](mailto:lspindler@evdio.org) or calling the parish office

### PRAYER LIST

Kenny & Marcia Reising, Jim Lubbers, Ralph Elpers, Crystal Williamson, Julia Market, Frankie Rynkiewich, Dana Seninger, Doris Hagedorn, Mike Folsom, Ronnie Martin, Judy Schuth, Mary Lou Michel, Johnsie Michel, Ed & Sue Miskovic, Mary Lou Wolf, Greg & Rose Obert, Jeff Williamson, Brenda Smith, Cindy Knotts, Ed Nurrenbern, Phyllis Schmitts, Diane Hasenour, Bret Weber

*Please call Terri to add or remove someone 677-0511. Let us know when someone can come off.*

**Saturday, July 20, 2024 ~ 16th Sunday of Ordinary Time**