

WELCOME TO THE  
CATHOLIC PARISHES OF

# ST. JOSEPH & ST. BERNARD



## ST. JOSEPH

410 S. Race, Princeton, IN 47670

Pastor:	Fr. Gary Kaiser
Business Manager:	Angie Paul
Spiritual Life Coordinator:	Becky Sheridan
Music Ministry Coordinator:	Doris Stolz
Parish Office:	812-385-2617 8-3 M-F
Parish Council President:	Alechia Memmer 812-259-4798
Parish Website:	stjosephprinceton.org
School Principal:	Lynde Anquillare
School Secretary:	Linda Yeryar
School Phone:	(812) 385-2228
School Website:	stjosephprinceton.com

## MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday	7:00 a.m.
	4:00 p.m. (Vigil)
Sunday	10:30 a.m.
Tuesday	6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Friday	8:15 a.m.

### Adoration

Second Friday of month (24 hrs.) 9 a.m. - 9 a.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Tuesdays 5:00-5:45 p.m. Saturdays 3:00-3:45 p.m.

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the parish office to make arrangements.

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Call the parish office at least six months in advance.

### Sacrament of the Sick:

Administered annually and by appointment.

## ST. BERNARD

5342 E. State Road 168, Ft. Branch, IN 47648

Pastor:	Fr. Gary Kaiser
Catechetical Leader:	Rose Obert
Office Manager:	Angie Paul
Parish Council President:	Nick Ivy 812-664-8693
Altar Society President:	Sauny Seib 812-677-0869
Bulletin Editor:	Terri Ziliak 812-677-0511
School Hall Rental:	Rose Obert 812-664-7745
Table & Chair Rental:	Jeff & Tammy Meny 812-779-7230
Office Phone:	812-385-2617
Parish Website:	stbernardsnakerun.org

## MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday	8:30 a.m.
Thursday	6:00 p.m.

### Adoration

First Friday of each month 8 a.m.-4 p.m.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Sundays 8:00-8:15 a.m.

### Sacrament of Baptism:

Call the parish office to make arrangements.

### Sacrament of Marriage:

Call the parish office at least six months in advance of wedding date.

### Sacrament of the Sick:

Administered annually and by appointment.

September 5, 2021 ~ 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2021

No Mass

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2021

2:00 p.m. † Linus Koberstein  
(River Oaks)

6:00 p.m. † Mary Frances Wehmer

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Eloise Reeves

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Ann Marie Holmes

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2021

8:15 a.m. † Keith Hunt

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2021

7:00 a.m. Glen Hauger

4:00 p.m. † Sharon Neufelder

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

10:30 a.m. † Peter Savo

## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

### Tuesday, September 7

7:00 p.m. Euchre in the Celestin Center

### Wednesday, September 8

9:00 a.m. Quilters

6:30 p.m. PTO Meeting in the Celestin Center

### Friday, September 10

9:00 a.m. Church Cleaners - Crew 5  
Shawn Halbig, Diana Dunn,  
Debbie Austill

## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

### Saturday, September 11 - 4:00 p.m.

**Sacristan:** Seth Stevens

**Lector:** John Fischer

**Extraordinary Ministers:**

Karen Fischer

Mary Halbig

**Servers:** Shelby Thompson

Shane Thompson

**Usher:** Charles Ingram

**Presenters:** William Thompson Family

**Greeters:** Rick Coleman Family

John Jaquema Family

**Scripts:** Angie Paul

### Sunday, September 12 - 10:30 a.m.

**Sacristan:** Phil Perry

**Lector:** Lora Schulten

**Extraordinary Ministers:**

Elaine Fortner

Phil Perry

**Servers:** Ben Seibert

Langstyn Young

**Usher:** Jack Sheridan

**Presenters:** Rob Dunn Family

**Greeters:** Bruce Wheatley Family

Jeff Seibert Family

Ralph Welp Family

**Scripts:** Audrey Watt

Greeters:

(A) Bell Tower Entrance

(B) Stormont Street Entrance

(C) Chapel Entrance

## HOMEBOUND MINISTER

Week of September 5- 11

Mary Halbig



*Parish Mission:*



*Reborn In Baptism;*

*Transformed Into Disciples*

AND NOW, LORD, FOR  
WHAT DO I WAIT? YOU  
ARE MY ONLY HOPE.

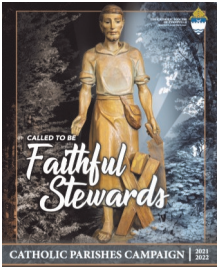
PSALM 39:8

## STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE



August 29, 2021 Collection	\$ 5,032.30
Online Giving for the week of August 29, 2021	\$ <u>1,840.00</u>
Total Collection for the week of August 29, 2021	\$ 6,872.30
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 10,979.25
Variance for August 29, 2021	<b>(\$ 4,106.95)</b>
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YTD Collection (July 1, 2021-June 30, 2022)	\$ 78,780.26
Needed to meet budget	\$ 98,813.25
YTD Variance	<b>(\$ 20,032.99)</b>

*Thank you!*



**Catholic Parishes Campaign**

**Called to be Faithful and Prudent Stewards**

“Shortly after things were shut down in March, 2020, the Office of Catechesis met virtually with parish catechetical leaders each week to prepare for catechesis in the fall. Together we prepared guidelines for gatherings, discussed new ways of rethinking religious education, and sought opportunities to participate in workshops. We found ourselves practicing adaptive leadership skills in order to meet the needs of this uncharted time.” <http://www.evdio.org/impact-report.html>


The diocesan Office of Catechesis is supported by our contributions to the Catholic Parishes Campaign.




St. Joseph School is in need of substitute teachers. We are looking for anyone who would be willing to substitute in the following areas of the school:

- Kindergarten - Grade 5
- Preschool & Pre-Kindergarten
- Extended Care for our preschool and pre-k students who stay all day.
- Before school program which begins at 6:00 a.m.
- After school program which would be 3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

If interested, please call the parish office at 812-385-2617, the school office at 812-385-2228, or email Mrs. Anquillare at [lanquillare@evdio.org](mailto:lanquillare@evdio.org).




The Daughters of Isabella will be having their annual Potluck Dinner and Installation of Officers on September 14<sup>th</sup> in the Celestin Center at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to bring a side dish or dessert. The main entrée will be furnished. Please mark your calendar for this fun evening.




Members of the St. Joseph Rummage Sale Committee will begin selling larger items online with proceeds going to St. Joseph in the same way they do at the sale. If you have larger items

(sofa, chairs, table, appliances) that you wish to donate to St. Joseph for the Rummage Sale, but don't want to keep them until the sale in October, we will start selling them any time. For more information please call Jill Kennard (812-677-0255), Mary Collins (812-664-2477), Suzette Saxe (618-240-2167) or the parish office (812-385-2617). Please continue to save any household items, decorations, craft materials, children's clothes or any other Rummage Sale items for the sale on October 2<sup>nd</sup>. This has been a successful fundraiser for our church and school and with everyone's help it can be again this year!




*Please keep in prayer those who are on our prayer chain and all members of our St. Joseph family.*



**Interested In Becoming Catholic?**  
Have you been worshipping with us but never officially took the steps to become Catholic? Were you baptized Catholic as a child but never received the other Sacraments of Initiation

(Eucharist & Confirmation)? Have you been practicing another religion and would now like to find out more about the Catholic Church? Do you know family and friends who might be interested in learning about the Catholic Church? If any of these questions apply to you or someone you know, we would love to help you or them on the spiritual journey! There will be an inquiry session, which is a Q&A session for anyone seeking to learn more about Christianity and the Catholic faith, on Sunday, September 19, at 9:00 a.m. in the Celestin Center. For more information on the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) process here at St. Joseph, please see our website, contact the parish office, or email Becky at [bsheridan@evdio.org](mailto:bsheridan@evdio.org).



**LABOR DAY** The Parish Office will be closed on Monday, September 6, in observance of Labor Day. We will reopen on Tuesday, September 7, at 8:00 a.m.



*We encourage our parishioners to patronize our sponsors. It is through their generosity that our weekly bulletin comes to you at no cost to the church. Our sponsor this week is:*

**BILL YARBOR/MEDICARE SUPPLEMENT**  
*Thank you to all the businesses who sponsor our bulletin.*

### Upcoming Youth Events

Sept. 12 – HS RockLife

Sept. 25 – MS Movie Night

Sept. 25 & 26 – Pumpkin Fundraiser at all 4 parishes

Nov. 18-20 – HS NCYC

### HS RockLife Nights

Beginning Sunday, September 12<sup>th</sup>, we'll meet in the youth room at Sts Peter & Paul from 6:00 – 8:00 pm. This will continue throughout the school year (usually twice a month). These nights focus on leading teens closer to Christ while meeting them where they're at. It helps youth get excited about their faith and more engaged! Not only will you find food for the soul, you'll also be served Sandy's Pizza!! Bring a friend, mask and a waiver!

### SMG General Info: waivers, calendars, email/text list

For every event youth need an "Event Waiver" which can be found in the back of church or on our webpage at [www.smg youth.com](http://www.smg youth.com) under the "Permission Slip" tab. The yearly waivers such as the "Medical Waiver" and "Social Media Waiver" are handed out at Rel. Ed. classes at the beginning of the year, and only need to be completed once per year. The Social Media waiver allows youth to receive text/email updates on upcoming events (parents don't need a waiver, just reach out to Bryan to be put on list). Our SMG yearly calendar can also be found on our webpage in PDF format as well as a SMG Google calendar link to conveniently add to your phone / online calendar.

### Pumpkin Sales

We'll be selling pumpkins after Masses at each parish (Holy Cross, St. Bernard, St. James, and Sts. Peter & Paul) on the weekend of **Sept. 25 & 26<sup>th</sup>**. Profits go to help cover expenses for youth events throughout the year. Cost is \$7 each (large sized pumpkins).

### MS Game/Movie Night

Come to Holy Cross on Saturday, Sept. 25, immediately following our Pumpkin fundraiser after 4:30 Mass. We'll have games, a movie (for those interested), and a faith discussion. Enjoy pizza, snacks, drinks, and lots of fun!! Start time is 6 pm and we'll end at 9 pm. Bring a friend, mask & waiver!

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.smg youth.com](http://www.smg youth.com)



“Since on the seventh day God was finished with the work He had been doing, He rested on the seventh day for all the work He had undertaken” (Genesis 2:2). This weekend our nation celebrates Labor Day. This holiday provides us the chance to look at the work we do and give thanks to God for that opportunity.

I am blessed to celebrate the sacraments and minister to people at some of the most joyous times and some of the most challenging times in life. If it were not for the priesthood, I would never be able to be a part of so many people's lives. I give thanks to God for my work and my vocation to serve.

Each of you have work which provides the opportunity to accomplish many different things. Whether it is in the home, office, factory or farm, we all have been chosen by God, in a particular way, to use our gifts. I have always noticed the pride people take in their work. That is definitely a German characteristic! A job well done is worth more than one done half-heartedly. I admire that in all of you.

We have the opportunity to also learn from God about our work. God tells us that, from time to time, we need to take a break. I have been known to work hard, but I also know that if I do not rest occasionally it has an effect on my overall performance and attentiveness to my work. I realize I am preaching to the choir, as all of you experience this struggle as well.

Lack of rest and relaxation influences our families. If we do not spend time with our families, we lose touch with each other. So, share a meal together or just take the time to sit down and talk to one another. There is no doubt that one of the biggest setbacks in our society is that we are “so busy” we don't spend as much time as we should with our families and loved ones.

On this Labor Day weekend, as we give thanks to God for the work He has entrusted to us, let's take the opportunity to spend some time with those we love and reflect on the blessings that surround us every day. How blessed we are to live in the United States of America.

Yours in Christ,

*Fr. Gary*

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**SUNDAY, September 5**

8:30 a.m. St. Bernard & St. Joseph Parishes

**THURSDAY, September 9**

6:00 p.m. † Bonnie Nurrenbern

**SUNDAY, September 12**

8:30 a.m. † Victor Reising

**LITURGICAL MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5**

**Rosary** Leroy Seib  
**Sacristan** Bernie Spindler  
**Cantor** Sarah & Maci Spindler  
**Greeters** Chris & Terry Fuhs  
**Lector** Brenda Smith  
**Servers** Isaac & Lucas Ivy  
**Gifts** Kyla & Braxtyn Blankenberger

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12**

**Rosary** Dolores Ziliak  
**Sacristan** John Spindler  
**Cantor** Emily & Hannah Rodgers  
**Greeters** John & Diane Hasenour  
**Lector** Dennis Titzer  
**Servers** Allison Spindler & Jack Anderson  
**Gifts** Brooke Silva & Molly Schnarr

**PRAYERS**

Michelle Ziebel, Gwen Graber, Crystal Williamson, Kenny & Marcia Reising, Wilma Miley, Elvira Meny, Betty Thompson, Jim Lubbers, Herb Bethe, Stan Phillips, Ralph Elpers, Susan Williamson, Diane Denton, Lisa Wilson, Graham Hosman, Ace Turner, Jerry Brown, Gerald & Mary Allen, Greg Obert, Sarah Reising, Martha Schauss, Mike Folsom

*Please call Terri to add or remove someone 677-0511  
 Please help up to keep this list up to date. Let us know when someone can come off the list. Thank you*

**STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE**



August 29, 2021 Collection	\$ 1,054.00
Needed for weekly budget	\$ 1,738.88
Variance for August 29, 2021	(\$ 684.88)
YTD Collection	\$16,568.00
Needed to meet budget	\$15,649.92
YTD Variance	\$ 918.08
Children's Collection—August 29	\$ 6.00

*Thank you!*

**ST. BERNARD PARISH NEWS**

**Parking Lot Update**

The St. Bernard parking lot is being re-sealed the week of September 13 so no one can be on it **the entire week**. There will not be a Mass on Thursday evening that week.

**Chicken Dinner Quilt Raffle**

We have to have these tickets back by NEXT Sunday Sept. 12. We will have the drawing directly after Mass! We gave everyone an envelope with just the quilt tickets. We will be in the back of church this week and next to collect your tickets or you may put them in the collection basket. Thanks for your support and thanks to Diane Hasenour and the Quilters who helped to make this beautiful quilt!!!



**Renovation Phase 2**

**We will have a town hall meeting for the whole parish once all information is gathered.** In order to start this next phase we need to have over half of the money down. If you would like to donate to the next phase, please send your check made out to St. Bernard and mail it or drop it in the Sunday collection basket. Be sure to indicate it is for renovation. Lets wrap up this renovation so our church will look nice for years to come!!

**St. Bernard Memorial Brick**

We are going to update some of the bricks in the Rosary Garden. If you were thinking of getting a brick or updating your family bricks, now is the time! We would like to have all orders in by **October 1**. Single Bricks are 3 lines with 15 spaces for \$75.00 and Double Bricks are \$125.00. Family Groups are 10 single bricks and 1 double brick in center for \$750.00. For more information, contact Lori Spindler.

**Religion Teachers**

St. Bernard is in need of religion teachers for the upcoming year. Classes meet October through April. Please consider helping out in teaching our faith to the young people of our parish. Please call Rose Obert (812-664-7745) if you can help.



**Parish Council Meeting**

The next meeting is this Thursday, September 9 after 6 pm Mass.

**September Church Cleaners**

Rose Obert, Kristie Dubord, Libby Ivy, Lori Spindler, Sarah Spindler