

3rd Sunday of Easter

May 8, 2011

Stewardship of Membership

An active member of St. Mary Parish is registered and participates on a regular basis in the spiritual and liturgical life of the parish. All parishioners are expected to share their time and talents by becoming involved in at least one area of ministry. St. Mary Parish believes in Total Stewardship of Life. We actively teach tithing and ask that all members of the parish return 10% of their annual income to God: 6% through St. Mary Parish and 4% to other charities of your choice.

4th Sunday of Easter
1st Reading: Acts 2:14a,36-41
2nd Reading: 1 Peter 2:20b-25
Gospel: John 10:1-10

Stewardship of Relationships

Eucharist		Birthdays	
Sun. 9:30 a.m.	William Schraeder	Sun. 5/8	Gary Bush, Mary Longtine, Tierney O'Daniel
4:00 p.m.	Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish	Mon. 5/9	Donna Brucken, Nancy Burek
Mon. 5:05 p.m.	Art & Vera Beckerle	Tues. 5/10	Jamie Henson, Stephanie Kuhlman
Tues. 5:05 p.m.	Agnes Beckerle	Wed. 5/11	Jeffrey Fleenor, Jesse Melton
Wed. 5:05 p.m.	Lucille Russell	Thurs. 5/12	Tom Bernardin, Mary Koch, Adam Willis
Thurs. 5:05 p.m.	Gayle Heldt	Fri. 5/13	Sam Whipple Jr.
Fri. 12:05 p.m.	Mass at Holy Trinity	Sat. 5/14	Lisa Clark, Elaine Fehn, Nick Money, Vincent Steele V
Sat. 4:00 p.m.	Henrietta Parker & Evelyn Henriches	Sun. 5/15	Taylor Glaser, Ashton Smitha
Sun. 9:30 a.m.	Gayle Heldt		
4:00 p.m.	Living & Deceased Members of St. Mary Parish		

We Welcome New Parishioners

David Bothast and Deondre, Rosie and D'Montaz Lyndsey Smitha and Landon and Ashton
If you would like to **join our parish family**, please contact Lee Griggs at 425-1577 or lgriggs@stmaryevansville.org or you can inquire online on our website: www.stmaryevansville.org.

RCIA... If you are interested in becoming Catholic or finding out more about Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults, please contact Rob Henson at 425-1577 or rhenson@stmaryevansville.org

Ministry Highlight

Garden Party Grillers Needed!

So you like to grill? You make a bunch of mean ribs? You think your a master griller? We need you!
We need help grilling the meat for the Garden Party...ribs, hams, turkeys etc. Would you be willing to take home some meat and grill it, smoke it or slow cook it and bring it back for the Garden Party, Saturday, May 21. Yeah you have to promise to bring it back!!
Call Lee Griggs 425-1577 ext. 207 or lgriggs@stmaryevansville.org.

Parish Garden Party

Saturday, May 21 after 4 pm Mass
Back Parking Lot
Meat, paper goods and drinks will be provided.
All are welcome... Bring a friend...bring your family
Don't forget to bring a covered dish to share!

Garden Party Set-up Crew needed

We will set up tables and chairs and tents on Friday afternoon between 1:00 pm and 3:00 pm.
Many hands make a big job seem small or at least more fun.
Please call Lee Griggs if you can help with the Party, 425-1577 ext. 207 or lgriggs@stmaryevansville.org.

Upcoming Events

Sunday 5/8	Monday 5/9	Tuesday 5/10	Wednesday 5/11	Thursday 5/12	Friday 5/13	Saturday 5/14
Happy Mother's Day Mass 9:30 am Mass 4:00 pm	Mass 5:05 pm Youth Team 6:00 pm Mystagogy at Mullers 6:30 pm	Youth Choir 3:45 pm Mass 5:05 pm St. Vincent de Paul 6:00 pm Choir 7:00 pm Octet 7:00 pm	Mass 5:05 pm VBS Meeting in Rager Hall 6:00 pm	Mass 5:05 pm Baptismal Preparation #1 6:30 pm Symphonia 7:00 pm		First Communion Retreat 9:00 -12:00 Mass 4:00 pm
Sunday 5/15	Monday 5/16	Tuesday 5/17	Wednesday 5/18	Thursday 5/19	Friday 5/20	Saturday 5/21
First Communion Mass 9:30 am Mass 4:00 pm Nepesh 5:00 pm AIDS Candlelight Service 6:00 pm	Mass 5:05 pm Parish Council 6:30 pm	Youth Choir 3:45 pm Mass 5:05 pm St. Vincent de Paul 6:00 pm Choir 7:00 pm	Mass 5:05 pm	Mass 5:05 pm Circle of Care 5:45 pm MC Workshop 6:30 pm RCC 6:30 pm		Soup Kitchen 8:00 am Mass 4:00 pm Garden Party 5:30 pm

*We want to let you know a well kept secret...
Of course it wasn't suppose to be a secret...*

There is childcare in the Ministry Center Gathering Room during Sunday, 9:30 am Mass.

REALLY!

And it is for ages Pre-K and younger.

And it has the best staff...

Parishioner Rosemary Toelle is the caregiver in charge and she has two great helpers...

Cathy Gahimer and Lisa Schutte.

Childcare opens at 9 am.

You will have to sign in your child and when you come back sign them out.

Please stop by to check it out and meet the staff.

If you have questions please contact

Adam Willis 425-1577 ext. 209

Vacation Bible School



Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday
July 26, 27 and 28
5:30 pm - 7:30 pm

Children ages pre-k through 5th grade

Sign up today by calling the parish office or email Adam Willis at awillis@stmaryevansville.org

**There will be NO nepesh on...
Mother's Day...May 8 or
Memorial weekend...May 29.**

What's Happening...

May 12 and 26, Thursdays, **Baptismal Preparation**, 6:30 pm, in the Ministry Center

May 15, Sunday, **AIDS Candlelight Service**, 6 pm.

May 21, Saturday, **Parish Garden Party Cookout**, 5:30 pm.

May 30, Monday, **Parish Offices and Food Pantry Closed** for the Holiday. No Services.

June 4 and 5, Saturday and Sunday, **Alms Collection** at all weekend Masses.

Go to our website and click on our calendar to find out more dates and times for happenings at St. Mary.

LOOKING FORWARD TO NEXT MONTH...

Wisdom Group welcomes parishioner and artist, David Rodenberg.

He is going to throw a pot!!

Want to know what that means? Come to Wisdom and find out on...

Wednesday, June 1, 9:30 am
Ministry Center Gathering Room
All Are Welcome

Did you ask who can come to Wisdom?
Anyone who is available on the first Wednesday of the month 9:30 am-noon

Share a Potluck lunch at 11:30 am.
Bring your favorite dish to share.

Baptismal Preparation

#1 - May 12, 6:30 pm, in the Ministry Center
#2 - May 26, 6:30 pm, in the Ministry Center

The birth or the adoption of a child marks a significant transition in the life of the parents and the family. It is a natural time for growth in both intimacy and faith. And just as it is a time of grace for the parents and family, it is also a time of great joy for the Church.

To prepare for this great celebration, St. Mary offers Baptismal Preparation for all parents that helps our young families navigate this transitional time to the best outcome, grace building on nature.

Babysitting will be available.
Reservations are necessary.
Contact Cindy Bernardin to register or with questions, 425-1577 ext.214 cbernardin@stmaryevansville.org

A Summer of Clues!

Join in the fun...watch next weeks bulletin for more details to see how to play.

Clues will be in the bulletin and online, you can guess what you think it is.

Prize will be given out in September at Wisdom Group on Wednesday, Septmeber 7.

Don't miss out! Special Clues will be given out at the June, July and August Wisdom gatherings, all are welcome to attend. Great Speakers, fun activities and sharing your favorite dishes with friends.

RCC...Rainbow Catholics in Christ will meet Thursday, May 19 at 6:30 pm in the Ministry Center on the 3rd floor.

RCIA meeting of Neophytes will be Monday, May 9 at 6:30 pm at the home of the Muller's