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Holy Family Lincoln

316 S. Logan St., Lincoln

Mass times: Saturday @ 4:00pm Sunday @ 10:00am



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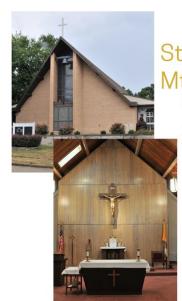
Mass times: Sunday @ 8:30am



## St. Patrick's Elkhart

213 S. Bogardus St, Elkhart

Mass times: Sunday @ 8:00am



## St. Thomas Aquinas, Mt. Pulaski

321 Lafayette St, Mt. Pulaski

Mass times: Sunday @ 10:00am

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## MASSES FOR THIS WEEK 07/24/2022

Saturday, July 23-St. Bridget

4:00 pm Joseph "Joe" Fitzpatrick by The Greg Morrow Family (<u>Holy Family</u>)

[with Drive-Thru Communion from 4:45-5 pm]

Sunday, July 24-Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am Albert & Agnes Durchholz {In Memory of Their Anniversary}

by The Durchholz Family (St. Patrick's)

8:30 am Sarah Alberts by Sharon Alberts (St. Mary's)

10:00 am Hannah Dowdle Welch {In Memory of Her Birthday}

by Dr. Anne Welch Carroll (<u>Holy Family</u>)
[with Drive-Thru Communion from 10:45-11 am]

10:00 am A Mass for the People (St. Thomas Aguinas)

Monday, July 25-St. James

8:00 am Greg "Flako" Feldman by Teena & Family (Holy Family)

Tuesday, July 26-Ss. Joachim and Anne

8:00 am Shirley Cox by Wayne & Melissa Cox (Holy Family)
8:00 am Jack Lamothe by Warren & Carol Meneou (St. Patrick's)

Wednesday, July 27

8:00 am Mary Starcevich by The Knollenberg Family (Holy Family)

Thursday, July 28

8:00 am John & Joyce Hickey by John & Cheryl Hickey (Holy Family)

Friday, July 29-Ss Martha, Mary and Lazarus

8:00 am Theresa M. Young by Crystal Tibbs (Holy Family)

Saturday, July 30-St. Peter Chrysologus

4:00 pm Matt & Theresa Young by Kent & Barb Bowlby (<u>Holy Family</u>)

[with Drive-Thru Communion from 4:45-5 pm]

Sunday, July 31-Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 am A Mass for the People (St. Patrick's)

8:30 am Sharon L. Polen by Carol & Bob Hajek (St. Mary's)

10:00 am Lela E. Fitzpatrick by Gary & Cindy Minder (Holy Family)

[with Drive-Thru Communion from 10:45-11 am]

10:00 am Kenneth Connolley by Mark & Kathy Miller (St. Thomas Aquinas)

⇒ **Eucharistic Adoration** TBD AT A LATER DATE

⇒ Reconciliation at Holy Family Church, Lincoln; Tuesday from 7:30-8:00 am and Saturday from 2:45-3:30 pm

**Reconciliation** at St. Patrick's Church, Elkhart; prior to Sunday Mass.

**Reconciliation** at St. Mary's Church, Atlanta; prior to Sunday Mass.

**Reconciliation** at St. Thomas Aguinas Church, Mt. Pulaski; prior to Sunday Mass.

\*Based on the availability of clergy, this schedule is subject to change. Please check the parish calendar on the website for any changes or additions.

- ⇒ **Infant Baptisms**: Parents are asked to attend a baptism preparation session before the Baptism of their child. Please phone the parish office to register.
- ⇒ **Marriages:** Arrangements must be made 6 months in advance for the desired wedding date. Please phone the parish office to receive further information and to reserve your special day.



### 17th Sunday In Ordinary Time Cycle C

Jesus is describing God's immeasurable generosity when He says in today's Gospel, "Whoever asks, receives; whoever seeks, finds; whoever knocks, is admitted." But it should also be the description of us as Christian stewards those seeking to follow Christ by using our gifts in service to others.





Holy Rosary
Monday through
Friday at Holy
Family before Mass
at 7:40am

#### SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday, July 25

2 Corinthians 4:7-15/Psalm 126:1-6/Matthew 20:20-28 Tuesday, July 26

Jeremiah 14:17-22/Psalm 79:8-9,11,13/Matthew 13:36-43 **Wednesday, July 27** 

Jeremiah 15:10, 16-21/Psalm 59:2-4,10-11,17-18/

Matthew 13:44-46 **Thursday, July 28** 

Jeremiah 18:1-6/Psalm 146:1-6/Matthew 13:47-53

Friday, July 29

Jeremiah 26:1-9/Psalm 69:5,8-10,14/ John 11:19-27 or Luke 10:38-42

Saturday, July 30

Jeremiah 26:11-16,24/Psalm 69:15-16,30-31,33-34/ Matthew 14:1-12

Sunday, July 31

Ecclesiastes 1:2; 2:21-23/Psalm 90:3-6,12-14,17/ Colossians 3:1-5,9-11/ Luke 12:13-21

**Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time** 

**About Praying.** Abraham is persistent in his pleading with the LORD. And the LORD listens and relents. A disciple asks Jesus, after seeing him pray, how to pray. Jesus gives a form that we use at every Mass and that we hand on to the elect each Lent. He then goes on about persistence in our praying.

- ♦ How does my prayer plead for the Kingdom of God to come?
- How does my prayer ask for what I need to do God's mercy work?
- How does my prayer seek and offer forgiveness?



#### **Volunteers at Vonderlieth Living Center**

Vonderlieth Living Center is currently seeking volunteers for their Activity Program. A small amount of your time can mean the world to so many! If you have one hour per week or even one hour per month, YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE! We have something for every age and every interest. Call today to begin your path to enriching the lives of others!

- Play a game of cars
- Call bingo
- One on one companionship
- Outdoor walks
- Join a board game
- Assist with letter writing & much more

If interested in volunteering please call, 217-792-3218

#### St. Mary's, ATLANTA

>Ministry Schedule for Sunday, July 31st: Reader-Laura O'Donnell

#### St. Thomas Aquinas, Mt. Pulaski

>Next Church Cleaning: St. Thomas Aquinas parishioners will clean the church

Wednesday, August 3rd (the first Wednesday of each month) at 4 pm. Volunteers are asked to bring cleaning supplies. Please consider sharing your time to help keep our church clean for worship.



When calculating our donations for VBS, we counted one day twice. So, we raised **\$316.94** and not \$459.35. Apologies for the misinformation.

Please mark your calendars for June 19 to June 23 for Stellar VBS. We have a space theme for VBS 2023.

Thanks so much, Kathy Buse



Michelangelo: A Different View

For more info on the exhibit go to <a href="https://michelangeloadifferentview.com/">https://michelangeloadifferentview.com/</a>

Visitors have the opportunity to take in these imposing paintings at their leisure and to allow them to truly soak in.

**Admission:** 

Tuesday - Friday \$16.00 adults

\$10:00 Children 6-14 years

Saturday -Sunday \$17.00 adult

\$10.00 Children 6-14years

#### Week of July 24th

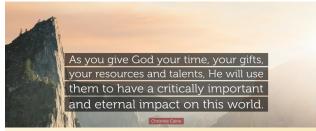
The red Altar Sanctuary Candle at . . . Holy Fumily Church is lit this week

In Memory of Greg "Flako" Feldman by Teena & Family

St. Patrick's Church is lit this week
In Memory of Bob Gordon by His Family

The blue candle at the Immaculate Heart of Mary Statue near votive candles at . . . *Holy Family Church is lit this week* 

In Memory of Greg "Flako" Feldman by Todd & Georgia Lowman



Holy Family Church is seeking Lectors, Ushers, and Altar Servers. What will you do with the time & treasures God has given you? Please contact the parish office if interested in serving in these ministries.

#### **DIOCESAN EVENTS**

#### **Marriage Preparation Schedule**

Engaged Couple Encounter is back! August 26-29. A chance for couples to get away for a weekend to learn about the splendor and truth of Catholic tradition, Holy Mass, confession and prayer experiences and friendship. For details and to register visit www.cdop.org

**Learn Natural Family Planning** 

NFP is the healthy, effective, and morally acceptable family planning method. For a complete Diocesan class schedule call the Office of Evangelization and Faith Formation @ 309 -671-1550 or visit http://cdop.org/evangelization-and-faith-formation/family-life/

To register for regional CCL Sympto-Thermal Method classes taught throughout the diocese, go to http://register.ccli.org.

#### <u>Diocesan 25th & 50th Wedding Anniversary</u> <u>Celebration</u>

If you are celebrating 25 or 50 years of marriage in 2022, notify the parish office, 217-732-4019. Each couple will receive a personal invitation this summer from the Bishop to attend a Mass on September 25th at 3:30pm.



Request prayers by sending an email to lcc4-prayer-chain@googlegroups.com.
If you would like to subscribe to the prayer chain, follow the "Join Prayer Chain" link located on www.logancountycatholic.org.
When your web browser opens click on "Subscribe to this group" option, then follow the instructions in the pop-up box.

You should receive an email within 48 hours that indicates you have been accepted as a member of the prayer chain.

#### <u>Please Pray for the Sick by remembering</u> <u>the following in your prayers:</u>

Anne Lowry, Anna Beckers, Mike Lowry, Paul Lowry, Matthew Lowry, Elijah Cox, Guinevere Decker, Boone O'Donoghue, Ruth Young, Rodney Alberts, Jill Alberts, Linda Wright, Steve Schmidt, Ryan Butler, Donna Burr, Paula Rutherford, Gavin Fox, Mark VanRheeden, Rita Johnson, Adelyn Jones, McKayla Nye, Gavin Shuler,



Phillip Brown, Christina Clementz, Mike Kavanaugh, Linda H., Mark L., Kay Rosner, Rita Faith, Hank Barr, Deb Jordan, Dwayne Knap, Esme Avart, Rita Scanavino, Amy Talmage, Jim Steinkamp, Marge Steinkamp, Thomas Siegel, Asher Phillips, Kristin Wright, Melinda Spangler, Phil Dehner, Alexa Cunningham, Mary Masterson, Amanda Cruz, Marcia Bidwell, Sandra Buttell, Debi Hardin, Ann LaMothe, Crystal Tibbs, Teresa Tripplett, Curt C., Eddie Pharis, Shirley Davis, Mike Young, Dennis O'Donoghue, Dan Dankosky, Amanda Clark, John Brennan, Bridget Dutcher, Tinley Rubenacker, John Barrick, Tom Berta, Eric Faith, Jerry Boyle, Dave Morrow, Caroline & Mike Spaniol, Steve "Hacker" Aue, Jennifer Roedz, Dan Riccolo, Janet Price, Diana Purdue, Ann Baunach, Gene Newton, Joyce Lichtenwalter, Sally Velasco, Ilene Davis, Tim McCormick and all the members of the armed forces of our country. If you would like to add a name to the list, call the Parish Office at (217) 732-4019 Ext. 2202 or email brawlins@logancountycatholic.org

If you have a loved one's name that you'd like to add or a name that can be removed, please email Brandi Rawlins at brawlins@logancountycatholic.org or phone the parish office at 217-732-4019.

#### **Tiny Seed Class Opportunity**

We are considering starting up Tiny Seed classes again in the Fall. This is a program for two through five-year-old children to attend during 10 a.m. Mass while their parents attend Mass. It would be 9:50 to 11:10 a.m. during Mass and the classes are held at Carroll Catholic School. The children receive a worksheet for their age level, have time to play after, and a snack. In the past, we had two classes. One for two and three-year old children and one for four and five-year old children. The fee is \$35/ child to cover the program and snacks.

## In order to have this program available, we need to have ten children in each of the classes.

Please contact me at <a href="mailto:kbuse@logancountycatholic.org">kbuse@logancountycatholic.org</a> or call the parish office at 217-732-4019 and let us know that you would be interested in enrolling your child.





#### <u>Career Opportunity in Financial Services</u> <u>for a Catholic company:</u>

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The Knights of Columbus is seeking Field Agent for a career opportunity representing their financial program in the local area. We offer a complete benefits package (health, dental, disability and life insurance, retirement pension program), expense allowance and professional training with this full-time position. In order to qualify, one must be eligible for membership in the Knights of Columbus. For more information, please contact, Jeff Niemeyer FICF, LUTCF, General Agent, at (618) 526-7991 ext. 301 or via email at Jeff.Niemeyer@kofc.org. Website: www.NiemeyerAgency.org



God is on the Move Crafters Group has a *limited* supply of crocheted shawls. These shawls are made with great love and with prayers that the person who may receive it will be wrapped in comfort. If you know of someone who is in need of a shawl whether for physical or spiritual needs please contact the parish office at 217-737-4019.



Life is a journey that continually searches for meaning. The human heart hungers for relationships that nurture one's maturity and ability to love and be loved. Often as one seeks to fulfill these very human yearnings, the realization that something is missing from life is made. As one reflects upon this void, it is not unusual to discover that this something is God. This awakening may lead to a turning point in one's life to commit to a relationship with God and seek out a worshipping community to guide one's journey in faith. Many will ask the question: How can I become Catholic?

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) is the normal way for unbaptized persons and those who have been baptized in another Christian tradition to become Catholic. It is a learning and loving process that provides the opportunity to grow in a deeper relationship with God in the company of the whole community in faith.

Sessions begin Tuesday, September 6th at 6:30pm. With meetings held in the meeting room at Holy Family Church.

For more information, please contact Sister Mary Lou at srmarylou@logancountycatholic.org or phone 217-891-7136.



Join Catholic Spirit Radio on a pilgrimage to visit Mother Angelica's hometown of Canton, Ohio where we will visit the Mother Angelica Museum campus and the Rhoda Wise Miracle House and Grotto. We'll also stop at Saint Mary of the Woods, Indiana to tour the Mother Theodore Guerin Shrine and the Sisters of Providence.

Pilgrimage days are September 29th and 30th. Bus pick-up will be in Wapella, Normal, and Champaign.

The cost is \$400 per person or you can save with an early bird special of \$360 now through August 18th.

For more details and to make reservations, visit <u>catholicspiritradio.com</u> or call Kathy at 309-828-6554.

## Outdoor Illuminated Rosary Event & Ice Cream Social

On *August 3rd*, Catholic Spirit Radio is hosting an outdoor Rosary Event in their north parking lot (108 Boeykens Place, Normal) under the glow of their large illuminated rosary! Ice Cream and station tours begin at 7:15 p.m. The Rosary will be recited at 8pm. This free event is for all ages. You may bring your lawn chair and rosary. If it rains, it will be inside.

Dear Parishioners,

The Autenrieb bid for Phase II has been approved by the Diocese and we would like to move forward with the renovation for Phase II. However, first, we need to raise the funds to cover this cost. Recently, the petunia flower sales and the garage sale raised about \$2700 towards the renovation. Some parishioners have continued their donations to the capital campaign, and some have made additional donations. All donations for the renovation are under the capital campaign and go 100% towards the renovation. Please look over the chart below and pray about where you might want to contribute towards, to help move forward the renovation. You can also give generally to help wherever needed. Every gift is much appreciated, and no gift is too small. The improvements will extend the life of this church building, bring comfort to our parishioners, and bring glory to God.

We also want to note that activity continues with Phase I such as the lighting, Sanctuary furniture, Sacristy improvements and more. Hopefully, you have noticed the additional speakers in church, near the center of each wall, to improve the sound.

Thank you for all your stewardship! God is good and He will provide! St. James, known for true faith, help us to never doubt the Lord's power in our lives.

-Holy Family Interior Committee

#### **Phase II Interior Restoration**

Nave Funding	Cost	Pledged	Received	Pledges Still Needed
Pews and Kneelers	\$130,000	\$130,000.00	\$100,000.00	\$0.00
Flooring	\$36,000	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$26,000.00
Repair Walls and Paint the Nave and Balcony	\$123,830	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$113,830.00
Repair and Paint Foyer (Narthex), Belltower and Old				
Baptistry	\$11,300	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$11,300.00
Canvasing and Painting Ceiling Panels	\$37,860	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$37,860.00
Additional Trim Color on Ceiling Beams and all Trim	\$6,800	\$6,800.00	\$6,800.00	\$0.00
Radiator Sandblasting and Painting	\$3,600	\$3,600.00	\$3,600.00	\$0.00
Woodgraining of the hammer trusses	\$23,815	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$23,815.00
Clean and Repair Stations of the Cross	\$24,000	\$5,260.00	\$5,260.00	\$18,740.00
Phase I Not Designated Funds Carried Over to Phase				
II	N/A	\$68,406.36	\$68,406.36	\$0.00
Phase II Funds That Have Not Been Designated by				
Donors to Specific Projects	N/A	\$25,270.96	\$25,270.96	\$0.00
Totals	\$397,205.00	\$259,337.32	\$229,337.32	\$137,867.68

#### Fiscal Year 2023 Actual Sunday Offering Versus Budget Requirement July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023

Parish	Annual Budget Requirement	YTD Requirement	YTD Sunday Offering	Year to Date Budget (Shortfall)		
Holy Family	\$393,016.00	\$22,674.00	\$15,331.00	(\$7,343.00)		
St. Mary's	\$56,160.00	\$3,240.00	\$2,494.00	\$746.00		
St. Patrick's	\$70,720.00	\$4,080.00	\$3,157.00	(\$923.00)		
St. Thomas Aquinas	\$50,440.00	\$2,910.00	\$1,705.00	(\$1,205.00)		

Sunday Offering (does not include Capital Campaign Donations, Utilities, ADA, Holy Day of Obligation Collections, Easter, Food Pantry, Building Fund and Diocesan Collections)

Budget period: July 1, 2022 — June 30, 2023

#### Forget your envelope?

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- > Go to www.logancountycatholic.org and click on the Online Giving link on the left side near the bottom of the screen.
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St. Patrick's: Curt Hudson, Blane Olson

St. Thomas Aquinas: Karen Edgecombe, Kathy Miller

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## A GREAT CAUSE WITH GREAT COMPANY

Wednesday, August 3rd | 6:00 - 8:00pm Logan County Fair | KC Pavilion



Please join friends of Flako Strong for a night out to support cancer research, and honor those that have lost their fight and those that continue their battle with cancer.

All proceeds from the event will go to The V Foundation for cancer research

Corporate Donation Opportunities Available Contact Todd Lowman @ 217.737.2223

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