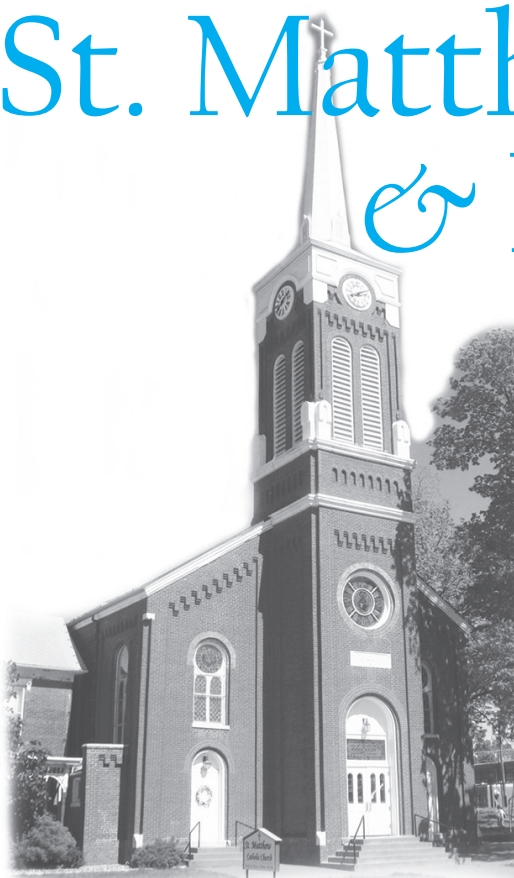


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January 29, 2012 · FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

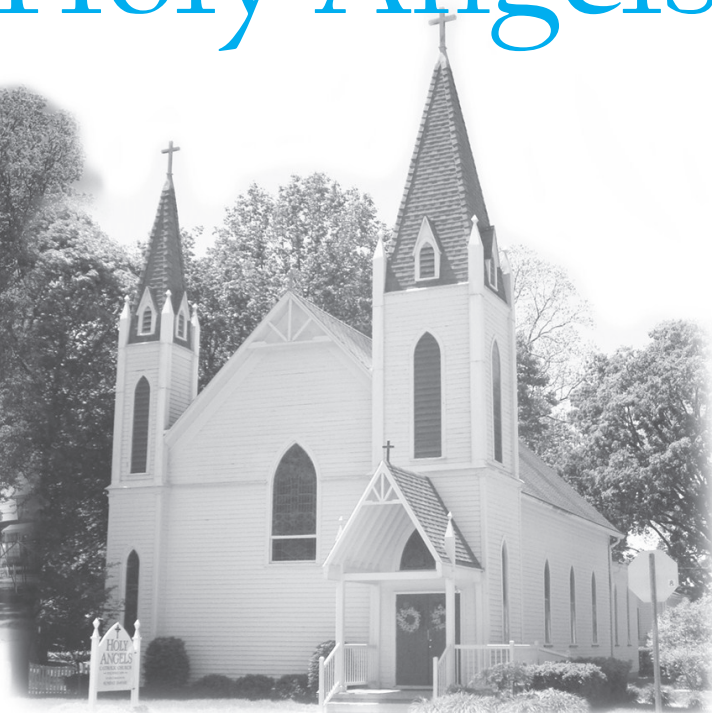
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Join in the fellowship...

Saturday Evening Mass: 4:30pm - St. Matthew

Sunday Mass: 8:30am - St. Matthew

10:00am - Holy Angels

Weekday Mass Schedule Inside Bulletin

Confessions: 1st Sat. of the month 10-11am at St. Philip,

3rd Sat. of the month 10-11am at St. Matthew

Baptism: By Appointment

Marriages: Contact the pastor at least 6 mo. in advance

St. Matthew School (K-5)

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To register with the parish to arrange for the celebration of sacraments, please contact the parish office at 838-2535

Mass Intentions

Saturday 4:30 pm	Jan 28 SM	VIGIL: 4 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Joe Folz
Sunday 8:30 am 10:00 am	Jan 29 SM HA	FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Ed Nurrenbern Carol Schaeffer
Wednesday 8:15 am	Feb 1 SM	Conversion of St. Paul the Apostle Communion/Prayer Service
Saturday 4:30 pm	Feb 4 SM	VIGIL: 5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time Margaret Buchanan
Sunday 8:30 am 10:00 am	Feb 5 SM HA	FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Albert Durchholtz Ossie (O.C.) Alspaugh

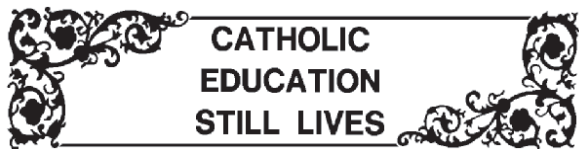
St. Matthew Stewardship of Treasure

Weekly Giving of Jan 22.....\$6,890
Fiscal Year to Date Giving.....\$184,504
Weekly Goal...\$6,700

Registered Families of St. Matthew....392
Families Giving of Treasure Jan 22.....84

"...Those who believed...shared" Acts 2: 44-45

Your Financial Statements for 2011
may be picked up in the Parish Office
or you may call and ask us to mail it to you.



Community Blood Drive St Matthew Catholic Church Gymnasium 421 Mulberry St, Mt. Vernon

**Sunday, February 5th
7:00AM – 11:00AM**

Walk-ins are always welcome or you may schedule an appointment at www.redcrossblood.org

Be a life saving HERO, donate blood! The need is constant. The gratification is instant.

St. Matthew Ministers Schedule

Catholic Schools Week Kickoff	SAT, Jan 28 4:30 pm	SUN, Jan 29 8:30 am <u>CHILDRENS MASS</u>
Lectors	Michelle Hudson Open	Children's Mass
Servers	Luke McGennis Mark Garman	Hannah Keller Ellen May
Eucharistic Ministries	Sacristan: Joe Fickas Priscilla Kelly Deacon Tom	Sacristan: John Hendricks Phyllis Levin Cathie Schaffstein
Gift Bearers	Nancy Walker	Children's Mass
Greeters	John and Margaret Pierce	Children and Larry and Mary Bowler
	SAT, Feb 4 4:30 pm	SUN, Feb 5 8:30 am
Lectors	Syvilla Lewis Mary Breeze	Janice Kopatich Mark Funkhouser
Servers	Frank Simutis Tristan Bolte	Jared Mader Mary C. Paciorkowski
Eucharistic Ministries	Sacristan: Dave Duckworth Darlene Duckworth Drew Duckworth	Sacristan: Glen Kuper Linda Volz Dan Hayden
Gift Bearers	Phyllis Alspaugh Carrie Bolte	The Garman Family
Greeters	Carrie Bolte	Elaine Miller

St. Matthew Happenings

Event	Date	Time	Location
• Bible Study.....	Jan 30	9:00-10:30am	Walnut Rm
• Youth Hot Lunch Program.....	Jan 29	12:00 Noon	Gym
• Celebration of 4 star school with the Bishop	Jan 30	1:30pm	Gym
• Youth Group	Feb 1	6:00pm	Gym/YG Rm
• Spiritual Life & W	Feb 2	6:30pm	Parish Office
• Blood Drive	Feb 5	7:00-11:00 am	Gym



Faith in Schools

When we see the cross on the classroom wall, may we always remember the reason our schools of faith exist. For Christ died upon the cross, not for academic excellence, and not for a dress code; not for well-written essays, or for correctly added math problems. Christ died upon the cross for our salvation, and as a model of love for us to follow. May we remember while learning or teaching, that the most important thing we can learn or teach is not in our textbooks, but instead, is our faith in Christ himself. Amen.

KEY Sponsor's Needed!

Help us raise funds for a New Digital Keyboard for our Sanctuary!

We've tried to think of something catchy to raise funds for a new church keyboard, *Notes for Notes...* or *Plea's for Key's*, or how about *Lend Us A Hand for a Digital Grand?* Whether any of those strike a *chord* with you, please consider donating toward this cause to update and upgrade our keyboard as it is an integral part of our worship. You can make a *note* on your check or use your Blue Church Improvement Envelope. Don't let us fall *flat*, help us raise money for a new top of the line keyboard! Our goal is \$10,000! With 88 keys, if you can donate \$114, consider yourself a *key sponsor!* We are SO thankful for your generosity!

**Men's Club School Benefit Auction
March 10, 2012 -**

VIVA LAS VEGAS conjures the word **PLUSH**. In keeping with **PLUSH** the 12th Annual Benefit Auction will offer a prime rib dinner including baked potato, green beans, salad, roll and dessert. The decoration committee is working with some excellent ideas to transform the Posey County Community Center into a Las Vegas atmosphere. We expect a sellout again this year, so get your tickets early. For tickets contact any committee member shown below.

New for this year and in keeping with the theme, **table games will be available in the lobby from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m.**, however the **"Auction" doors will not open until 5:00 p.m.** Tickets are now available and remain at \$25.00 per person and you may purchase them from any committee member listed below.

If you have something to donate--time, items, money, etc.-- or if you need more information call please contact any of the Committee members below.

We are looking to borrow a **Champagne Fountain** to use for the School Benefit Auction on March 10th. If you happen to have one or know of anyone who does that we could borrow, please call Nancy Simon at 838-1582 or Diana Hoehn at 838-5112.

Also we are looking for some **Slot Machines** to use for *decoration purposes only*. If you have any or know of someone who we could borrow them from, please contact any Auction committee member and let them know.

2012 Auction Committee

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| Frank & Loretta Winiger | Andy & Keely Winiger |
| Brooke Sanders | Sarah Head |
| Sammy Winiger | Kyle & Sherri Rapp |
| Tom & Laura Sommerfield | Scot & Tonia Keller |
| Randy & Nancy Simon | Julia Vantlin |
| Paul & Deb Dick | Cindy Nurrenburn |
| Tom & Diana Hoehn | Heather Paul |
| Amy Hoehn | Cindy Smith |

SCRIPS

A Huge Thank You to everyone who purchased gift cards through the St. Matthew Scrip Program over Christmas (end of November through December). By purchasing gift cards to use yourself, give as gifts, or for company Christmas parties, for employee gifts, the list goes on, we thank you. Every purchase really counts. You helped generate over \$1,700.00 for our school. THANK YOU!

SOCIETY of ST.VINCENT de PAUL

(St Matthew contact is Phyllis Alspaugh or you may call [425-3485](tel:425-3485))

In the Gospel today we read that because Jesus spoke with authority his reputation spread throughout the surrounding region of Galilee. As his disciples, we can also speak with authority when we put our faith into actions by helping the poor and suffering.

Last month, through your gifts, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul was able to assist 30 families, (111 people), providing them with food at a cost of \$900.00 and for utility and rent bills we helped 5 families (12 people) at the cost of \$700.00.

Members of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul (or "Vincentians") are men and women who strive to grow spiritually by offering person-to-person service to individuals in need. We are young and old. Our members come in every shade of skin color. Some of us are wealthy, some are financially poor, but all of us are blessed with an awareness that our blessings (time, talent or treasure) are to be shared with our brothers and sisters in



For January, 2012, St. Matthew is collecting "Tuna" for the Food Pantry. February will be Mac & Cheese

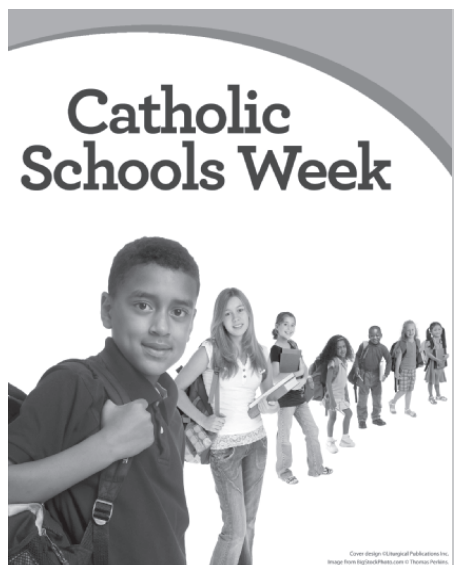


Prayer for Christian Education

God, who created all things and sustains them in being, you established the world in all its wonder and gave humankind the intellect to uncover the mysteries that abound in your wondrous work. Give teachers and professors the wisdom to open the minds of their students to the beauty that lies in knowing what you have made. Give students the insight to understand that, as they uncover more of the world and learn more of history and human progress, they may find you at the heart of all that is and see the tracings of your actions each day. Fill all learners with the knowledge of your truth, and guide them on the eternal path to you. Amen

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Holy Angels News



STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Sunday Collections: Jan 22...\$720.00

PARISH GATHERINGS IN THE HALL AFTER MASS

Refreshments—Social time
with fellow parishioners & Father Jim

- *Jan. 8 Leigh Ann Latshaw, Barbara Stegal, and Jackie Maier
- *Feb. 5 Mary Rhoades, Martha Breeze & Rae Duncan
- Mar. 11 Chicken & Dumpling Dinner
Chair: Rose Wilkinson
- April 1 Seder Supper
Chair: Chris Hoehn
- *May 6 Chris and Abbey Flavin
- *June 3 ????
- *July 1 Maggie Rapp
- *Aug.5 Jackie Maier & Leigh Ann Latshaw
- Sept. 15 Kunstfest Pork Chop Dinner
Chairs: Bill & Mary Rhoades
- *Oct 7 ????
- *Nov 4 ????
- Dec. 1 Santa Breakfast
Chairs: Greg & Shelley Powell

Sign up sheets for 2012 Holy Angels social and fund raising events are in the church foyer and hall kitchen.



HOLY ANGELS FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

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| February 3
Winifred Martin | February 17
Linda Elpers |
| February 6
Ora Williams | February 18
Madeline Pfister |
| February 8
James Reising | February 20
Tamara Hoehn |
| February 15
Margaret Rapp | February 25
Sharon Greenwood |
| February 16
Chris Laughbaum | February 27
Alfred Reising |
| February 17
Susan Beuligmann | |

Support Religious Education



Teach them to carry
out everything I have commanded you.
And know that I am with you always.

—Matthew 28:20

Appreciate wisdom and discipline,
understand words of intelligence; receive
training in wise conduct, in what is right,
just and honest; that resourcefulness,
knowledge and discretion may be
imparted to the young.

—Proverbs 1:2-4



Catholic
Schools
Week

ST. MATTHEW FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

February 1

Kayla Hall
Paul Watzlavik

February 2

Erica Carr
Marvin Fischer
Ian Garman
Leonard Wentzel

February 3

Miesha Gossett

February 4

Mark Lueder
Seth Sharber

February 5

Chelsea Blackburn
Pauline Denning
Pauline Jourdan
Andrew McBride

February 6

Alex Almon
John Wannemuehler

February 7

Rachel Deno
Michelle Muller
Claire Wezet

February 8

Gary Griffin
Angie Wannemuehler
Tom Woodward

February 9

Donald Kaffenberger

February 10

Katie Hoehn
Joseph Paul

Allison Rheinhardt

Del Stratman
Maria Weinzapfel

February 11

Mary Buchanan
Dirk Evans
Scott Smith

Stoy Winiger

February 12

Clara Garman
Kathy Jourdan
Carol Stedfeld

February 13

Keith Brenner
Sherrie Folz

Sherman Schneider

February 14

W. Steven Babcock
Matthew Blanford
Karen Hahn

Laura Sommerfield

February 15

Edith Hoehn
Jerel Sailer

February 16

Aaron Head
Brendon Rowe
Shane Vantlin

February 17

Austin Bourne
Keith Turner

February 18

Pamela Lowery
Dustin Marshall

Matthew Vaal

February 19

Dottie Denning
Thomas Fink
Merle Hamblin

Jackson May

February 20

Colton Green

Nancy Simon

February 21

Mary Darr
Daniel Marshall
Patricia McClellan

February 22

Janet Baumgart
Lilly Denning
Susan Hermann

February 23

Stephan Blanford
Paul Dick
Claudia Kinnaird

Kathy Weinzapfel

Samantha Winiger

February 24

Erika McCormick
Jacquelyn Philipps
Michelle Wall

February 25

Mallory Dausman
Joe Winiger

February 26

David Duckworth
Joshua Girten
Barbara Givens

Cindy Nurrenbern

February 28

Brian Allen

February 29

Roger McCormick



FEBRUARY ANNIVERSARIES

February 1, 1991

Darren & Lisa Saltzman

February 4, 1956

Robert & Pauline Jourdan

February 4, 1972

Allen & Janet Niemeier

February 8, 2002

Jeff & Christina Scates

February 10, 1967

Patrick & Janet Boehman

February 14, 1984

Walter & Chris Babcock

February 17, 1962

Clarence & Maria Nelson

February 17, 1973

Joseph & Donna Anderson

February 23, 1974

Tony & Yvonne Lawrence

February 24, 1967

Michael & Jacquelyn Philipps

February 25, 1978

Rick & Kathy Weinzapfel

February 26, 1980

Jerome & Stephanie Erbacher

February 26, 1983

Benny & Katie Hoehn

Feb 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 8:15am Mass SM 6pm Youth Group 7pm Youth Group	2 1pm Healthcare Meeting 6:30pm SL & W 6:30-8:00pm RCIA 6-8pm Wrestling	3	4 9am-3pm Pastoral Council Retreat 4:30pm Mass SM
5 7-11am Blood Drive 8:30am Mass SM 10:00am Mass HA	6 6-8pm Wrestling	7	8 8:15am Mass SM 6pm Education Commission 6pm Youth Group Gym 7pm Youth Group YG Rm	9 10 am MV Nursing Home 6-8pm Wrestling Gym 6:30pm RCIA	10	11 RCIA Retreat 4:30pm Mass SM
12 7-11 Pancake & Sausage Breakfast 8:30am Mass SM 10:00am Mass HA	13 6-8pm Wrestling 7:00pm Finance	14 5:30pm Market Day	15 8:15am Mass SM 6pm Youth Group 7pm Youth Group	16 11am Adult Life 6:30pm Parish Life 6-8pm Wrestling	17	18 St Meinrad Weekend SM 4:30pm Mass SM
19 St Meinrad Weekend SM & HA 8:30am Mass SM 10:00am Mass HA	20 6 pm Mardi Gras Parish Party SM	21 6-8 pm Wrestling 6:30pm Pastoral Council	22 <u>ASH WEDNESDAY</u> Noon Mass SM 6pm Mass SM 6pm Youth Group 7pm Youth Group	23 10:00 am NH Nursing Home 6-8pm Wrestling	24 5-7pm Fish Fry SM	25 4:30pm Childrens Mass SM
26 12:00 Noon - Soup Kitchen SM 8:30am Mass SM 10:00am Mass HA	27 6-8pm Wrestling 7pm SVDP 7pm Men's Club	28 5:30-8pm Soup & Scripture	29 8:15am Mass SM 6pm Youth Group 7pm Youth Group			