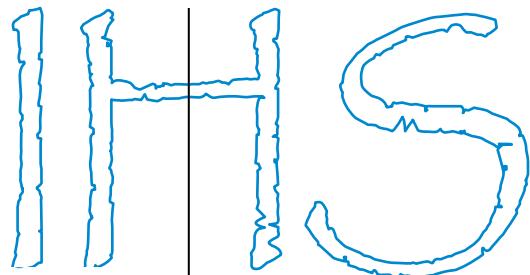


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Mass at Our Parish Church

4:00pm/5:00pm Saturdays & 8:00am Sundays

8:00am Tuesday / Thursday / Friday

When school is not in session—

8:00am Mass Monday / Wednesday

Holy Days of Obligation 9:00am & 7:00pm

Civil Holidays See Mass Intention in Bulletin

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 2:30-3:30pm CST / 3:30-4:30pm CDT

Day & Evening Times during Advent & Lent Weekdays

Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

1st Saturday of Every Month—After Evening Mass

Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Tuesday 8:30am -12:00midnight

Liturgy of the Hours

7:35am—Before Weekday Mass

Perpetual Help Devotions

8:30am—After Tuesday Morning Weekday Mass

Parish Rosary

8:30am—After Weekday Mass

3:30pm CST / 4:30pm CDT—Monthly on 3rd Saturdays

7:30am—Monthly on 3rd Sundays

Mass at Chapel of Our Lady

Bellefontaine Road

10:30am Sundays

School Mass at 8:00am Wednesdays

When school is in session—Check weekly bulletin schedule

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Day & Evening Times during Advent & Lent Weekdays

Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

3rd Sunday of Every Month—After Morning Mass

Anytime by Appointment with Fr. Mike at Home / Church

Parish Rosary

10:00am—Monthly on 3rd Sundays

Mass at Trinity Catholic High School

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“Consult not your fears, but your hopes and dreams.

***Think not about your frustrations,
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Concern yourself

***not with what you tried and failed in,
but with what it is still possible for you to do.”***

*Pope John XXIII,
Opening Address to the Bishops of the 2nd Vatican Council*



Highlights of Life in Our Community

Our Parish Life

Good for You - Good for Others

*Details in your bulletin or Parish Directory.
Being involved insures the vitality of our parish.*

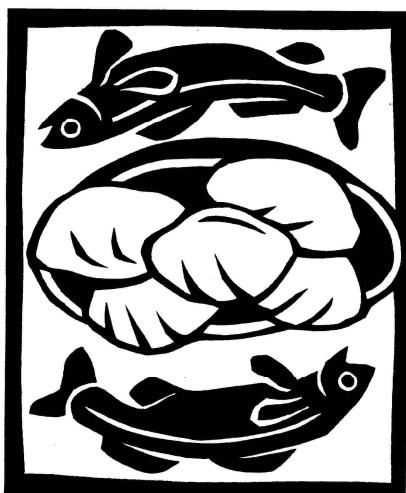
Sunday, January 1st
Feast of Mary, Mother of God

Saturday, January 7th

Soup Stew & Chili Program
Sacrament of Penance (Confessions)
2:30 - 3:30 pm - Parish Church

Sunday, January 8th

Feast of the Epiphany of Our Lord
Soup Stew & Chili Program
Men's Communion Breakfast - 8:00am



COMING EVENTS OF NOTE

Deanery Planning Meeting

Catholic Elementary Schools

Thursday, January 12th, 2017, 7:00pm
Community Center, Holy Name of Jesus Parish

Parish Fish Fry

Friday, January 13th, 2017, 3:00 - 6:30pm

Parish Trivia Night

Saturday, January 21st, 2017, 6:00pm

Parish Bunco Party

Sunday, January 29th, 2:00-5:00pm

Catholic Men for Christ Conference

Saturday, February 18th, 2017
Touhill Performing Arts Center (UMSL)

Catholic Women for Christ Conference

Saturday, March 25th, 2017
Touhill Performing Arts Center (UMSL)

We Are Called To Live Our Faith ... Beyond Sunday

The Gift of a New Year

Let us pray with each other and for our parish community that this will be a year of continuing, ever-deepening hope, peace, and joy. May our gratitude and generosity always be a powerful sign that we are - and all the more intend

to be - the ministers of these gifts near and far, every day especially in times of need. May God bless our year and continue to bring forth from us the presence and power of Christ.

Today parish calendars are available at the entrances of church and our chapel. Below is a blessing prayer to offer as you place it up in your home in the coming days. Join me in thanking Mr. **John Hutchens of Hutchens-Stygard** **Funeral and Cremation Services** for their generous sponsorship of our calendar and frequent care for our parish families.

A Blessing for Calendars of the New Year

*Show us, most loving God,
at the beginning of this new year
how with your grace we might
become masters of the art of living
and of spending the gift of time.*

*Give us a beginner's mind,
fresh and open, that we may see
countless ways to explore
the promise these days hold,
as a gift from you.*

*May we approach the tasks and
unknown challenges that await us
as if it were the first time.*

*Grace us with insight
as we use this time to explore
new ways to live each day.*

*Bless our holidays and holy days,
and all our special days
of remembering.*

*May our calendars teach us
the secret that all life is meant for
celebration and contemplation.*

*Grant to us, Lord, the new year's
gift of a year of love.*

Bless each of its days and nights.

Amen.

Benefiting the Future of Our Parish & Our Church's Work in North County

Planned Giving & Estate Gifts

Just before Christmas I received a letter from the trustee of the estate of **Harold & Bernice Arens** who wrote -

"Bernice and Harold were truly wonderful people, who loved each other, Mickey (their son who preceded them both in death), their extended family and their church. In this true spirit, please accept this generous gift [\$53,347] to the Holy Name of Jesus Church from their estate."

This most generous gift was made without restrictions. Our Pastoral Council and Finance Committee will discuss how best to use this gift. I am grateful that the trustee has allowed making this gift publicly known to the parish with the hope of encouraging others to consider the possibility of doing so themselves. Planned giving combines personal, financial, and estate planning with a donor's desire to support a charitable organization or cause. Options are -

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Charitable Gift Annuities
Gifts of Stocks and Securities

There are specific advantages to the donor, including tax and income benefits. Planned gifts - unrestricted or designated for a specific purpose of the donor - provide a way of individuals and families to make significant gifts to Holy Name of Jesus Parish. Planned giving supports the donor's belief in the value and importance of our parish's ministries and programs - now and for years to come.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

“Octave” comes from the Latin word for “eight,” and since eight is one step beyond seven, the number of days in a week, it has long been seen as a symbol of perfection, completion, and new beginnings. Early Christians called Sunday the “eighth day,” since it was the day after the Sabbath and a day of resurrected life, the Lord’s Day. By the seventh century, people regarded the eight days after Easter Sunday as one great day, an octave, one glorious feast when people were forbidden to fast or kneel. In the seventh century, Pentecost acquired an Octave, too. Christmas didn’t claim the honor of a continuous feast, but it did get an Octave Day. January 1 is the oldest Marian feast, the Octave of Christmas. It was originally a feast of the motherhood of Mary, although for centuries until 1969 it was called the Feast of the Circumcision. Our reformed calendar follows the earlier tradition of celebrating Mary as Mother of God.

Health Advisory

Your commitment to Mass is a sign of the vitality of our parish. However, for the health of our whole community, **if you are not feeling well**, be attentive to these recommendations:

Don't Come To Church ...

- With a fever—be fever free for 24 hrs.
- When you’re not feeling well— achy, tired, sore throat, no energy
- When you’re coughing and sneezing a lot with a runny nose or headache

When You Do Come To Church ...

- Use hand sanitizer at church entrances
- With slight symptoms of cold or flu —
 - Don’t take communion from the cup
 - Offer the sign of peace with a friendly wave or simple bow

Thank you for your cooperation in **taking responsibility for the health of our community**. Remember, it’s **sad** to miss Mass when you’re sick or taking care of someone who’s sick, but **not sinful**.

Our North County Catholic Schools are Filled With Christmas Blessings!

Our Catholic Schools have so much to offer our students and community, and that is especially evident at this time of year. Students at each school in the Federation have spent the season of Advent in preparation for our celebration of Jesus’ birth. They have held food drives, “adopted” families in need with Christmas gifts, made Jesse Trees and Advent Wreaths, experienced the sacraments of Reconciliation and Eucharist, and had many other opportunities to further develop their own personal relationships with our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. This environment of spirit and prayer in our schools exists throughout the year as students, teachers and parents demonstrate what it means to be communities **Alive in Christ!**

We invite you to help us spread the good news about our local Catholic schools by joining us (and inviting a friend or neighbor) to our Open House.

Explore Catholic Schools in North County



Christ Light of the Nations School Open House

Sunday, January 29, Noon-2pm
Sr. Mary Lawrence, Principal,
314-741-0400, 1650 Redman Road

Learn more about our Federation of Catholic Schools:

- † Visit the website at FederationofCatholicSchools.org
- † facebook.com/northcountycatholicschools
- † Twitter @NoCoCathSchools
- † E-mail advancement@FederationofCatholicSchools.org

MASS INTENTIONS	
Monday	January 2
8:00am	Holy Name of Jesus Communion Service
Tuesday	January 3
8:00am	Communion Service
Wednesday	January 4
8:00am	Chapel of Our Lady Paul Smith
Thursday	January 5
8:00am	Jim Bortowsky (Special Intention)
Friday	January 6
8:00am	Sr. Mary Inez Kennedy
Saturday	January 7
4:00pm	Herman & Mary Krueger
Sunday	January 8
8:00am	Barbara Mohr
10:30am	Grace Stoltz

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The LORD bless you and keep you! The LORD look upon you kindly and give you peace! (Numbers 6:22-27).

Psalm — May God bless us in his mercy (Psalm 67).

Second Reading — God sent the Spirit of the Son into our hearts, crying out, “Abba, Father!” So you are no longer a slave but an heir, through God (Galatians 4:4-7).

Gospel — The shepherds glorified and praised God for all they had heard and seen (Luke 2:16-21).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Jn 2:22-28; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 1:19-28
 Tuesday: 1 Jn 2:29 — 3:6; Ps 98:1, 3cd-6; Jn 1:29 -34
 Wednesday: 1 Jn 3:7-10; Ps 98:1, 7-9; Jn 1:35-42
 Thursday: 1 Jn 3:11-21; Ps 100:1b-5; Lk 4:14-22a
 Friday: 1 Jn 5:5-13; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20;
 Mk 1:7-11 or Lk 3:23-28 [23, 31-34, 36,
 38]
 Saturday: 1 Jn 5:14-21; Sal 149:1-6a, 9b; Jn 2:1-11
 Sunday: Is 60:1-6; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13;
 Eph 3:2-3a, 5-6; Mt 2:1-12


Eucharistic Ministers
Saturday, January 7**4:00pm**

Tony Migliazzo*

Mary Migliazzo*

Frank Schneider

Linda Schneider

Denise Wilson

Marilyn Gittemeier

Dee Hooser-D

Sunday, January 8**8:00am**

Linda Byrns*

Betty Easley*

Rochelle Stanton

Marie Tabor

Regina Anderson

Larry Colombo

Josephine Bono-D

10:30am

Lori Garner*

Pete Jones*

Mary Harris

Shelby Jones

Ken Kleinberg

Judy Krenn

Mary Grelle-D

**LECTORS****Saturday, January 7****4:00pm**

Joe Bohnenkemper

Sunday, January 8**8:00am**

Margaret Jackson

10:30am

Gina Keppler & Bill Krenn

Mass Servers**January 2—6**

Communion Service

Saturday, January 7**4:00pm**

Sunday, January 8

8:00am

Sunday, January 8

10:30am**Gift Bearers****Saturday, January 7**

4:00pm Rick & Joan Aslin

Sunday, January 8

8:00am Men's Club

10:30am Volunteers

SOUP STEW AND CHILI TOO!
2016—2017

<u>Container Distribution Dates</u>	<u>Container Collection Dates</u>
7-8 January 2017	21-22 January 2017
4-5 February 2017	18-19 February 2017
4-5 March 2017	18-19 March 2017

The St. Vincent de Paul Food Pantry needs your help!

We are in urgent need of canned and dry foods (ie, canned soups & stews, macaroni & cheese, cereal, etc.; no glass containers, please).

If you are able to help, please deposit your canned and/or dry food items in the large St. Vincent de Paul containers located at all the church entrances at the Ashbrook site.

Thank you in advance for your faithful generosity!

Do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.

—Benjamin Franklin

SAVE THE DATE!
BUNCO, JANUARY 29TH
2 – 5 pm

Annual Men's Club Communion Mass and Breakfast, Sunday January 8th. The Breakfast is for all men of Holy Name of Jesus Parish. Following the 8 a.m. Mass we will gather in the Community Center for breakfast and fellowship. This will be a great opportunity to meet new members of our parish and to renew some old friendships. Tickets are \$20.00 and will be available after all Sunday Masses thru January 1st. You can also contact Bob Doerr @ 868-2246, Bob Stolte @ 869-8147, Don Merz @ 869-6371 or Mike Petroff @ 869-2936. This breakfast is a main fund raiser for the Men's Club so please consider joining us for an enjoyable morning.

BLOOD DRIVE

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Wednesday, January 18 4:00 pm –6:30 pm

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Report on Parish Collections

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Total Sunday Collection (Dec 25)

Online Giving Amount (included above)

Budgeted Weekly Revenue Needed **\$9,725.00**

This Week (under amount)

PRAYER CHAIN

If you or someone you know is in need of prayer, please call either Marjorie Dubray @741-9926 or Betty Kondracki @ 868-0176

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Joseph Remiger, Rose Ann Lingua and all who have died this week. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY *for:*

Bob Rosegrant, Deborah Winkler, Lois Albers, Stanley Wilson, Tim Bassett, Jane Szydlowski, Amy Bahannan, Patti & Audrey Corbin, "Baby" Charlotte Ipock, Matthew Hummert, Jewel Barnett, Josehine Smith, Ann Marlowe, Kathy Westerheide, Annie Bates, Kenneth L. Smith, Jimmy Lancaster, Al Herl, Donna Lane, Peggy Marquart, Bob Seidel Jr., Doris Freeman, Matt Borzymowski

In The Hospital...

Bev Roche

**IMPORTANT
HOSPITAL NEWS**

If you **or** a friend, relative, neighbor, etc. are being admitted to a hospital please contact the Parish Office to let us know.

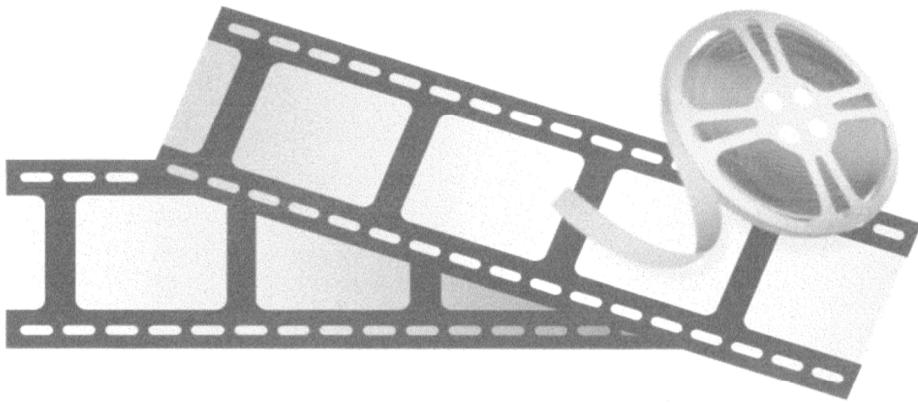
END OF YEAR CONTRIBUTION STATEMENT

ENVELOPE # _____

NAME _____

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If you would like an end of year contribution statement please fill out the above information and place in the collection basket, drop off at the parish office or mail it.



**Trivia Night with
MC “Pop Trivia Brian”
To Benefit:
Holy Name of Jesus Parish**

**Saturday, January 21, 2017
Holy Name of Jesus Cafe’**

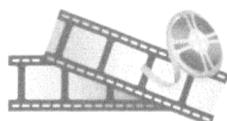
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January 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	3	4	5	6	7
8 Mens' Club Communion Breakfast	9 Ladies Guild 2pm	10 Mens' Club 7pm	11 Room At The Inn	12 School/ Parish Mtg With School Oversight Committee 7pm	13 Fish Fry 3:30- 6:30pm	14 Parish Hospitality/ Beyond Sunday 5pm
15 Parish Hospitality/ Beyond Sunday Following Masses	16 PARISH OFFICE CLOSED	17	18 BLOOD DRIVE 4-6:30pm	19	20	21 Parish Trivia Night Doors open At 6pm
22	23	24	25 Room At The Inn	26	27	28
29 Parish Bunco 2-5pm	30	31				



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