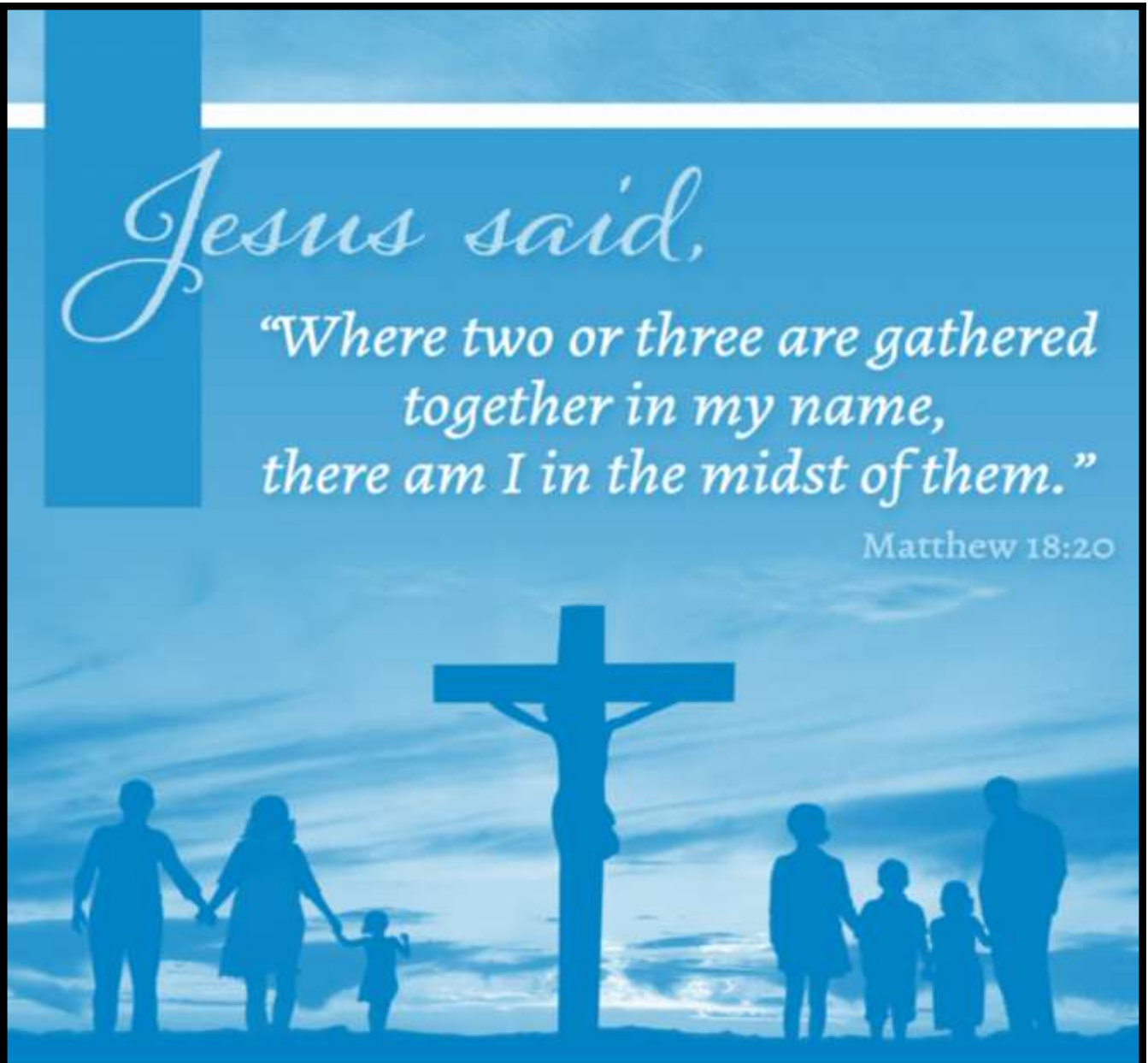


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Jesus said,

*“Where two or three are gathered
together in my name,
there am I in the midst of them.”*

Matthew 18:20



September 10, 2017

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saint Vincent DePaul Catholic Church
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St. Joseph Mass Schedule

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. Rosary
5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 10:30 a.m.
1:00 p.m. Spanish
Weekdays: 8:15 a.m. Tuesday (School Days Only)
5:00 p.m. Tuesday
(New Time) 8:15 a.m. Friday

Misa en Español

Domingos a las 2:00 p.m.

St. Joseph Confessions

(By Appointment Anytime)
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Adoration at St. Joseph

Monday 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Monday - Thursday Noon - 1:00 p.m.
First Friday of the month 24 Hour Exposition

St. Vincent de Paul Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:45 a.m.
Weekdays: 5:00 p.m. Monday
8:00 a.m. Wednesday
5:30 p.m. Wed. - Rosary

St. Vincent de Paul Confessions

(By Appointment Anytime)
Sunday: 8:15 - 8:30 a.m.
Monday: 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Bulletin Submission

Please submit your **written** and **email** items for the bulletin by **9:00 a.m. on Monday**. Please send to: Bulletin@sjssshelbyville.org All items must be received by **9:00 a.m. on Monday** in order to be included in the bulletin for the following weekend. Thank you!

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Mass Intentions For The Week

Saturday September 9, 2017
5:00 pm Ben Ernestes
Sunday September 10, 2017
8:45 am Art Nieman
10:30 am Charles Duvelius
1:00 pm For the Parishioners' Intentions
Monday September 11, 2017
5:00 pm Dorine Wolsiefer
Tuesday September 12, 2017
8:15 am Samantha G. Springer
5:00 pm Suzanne Reuter
Wednesday September 13, 2017
8:00 am Alice Bottorff
Thursday September 14, 2017 - No Mass
Friday September 15, 2017
8:15 am Louis and Mary Peduto
Saturday September 16, 2017
5:00 pm Debbie Gallagher
Sunday September 17, 2017
8:45 am Buddy Ernestes
10:30 am For the Parishioners' Intentions
1:00 pm Rosa Navarro



Readings for the week of September 10 - September 17

Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20
Monday: Col 1:24 — 2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11
Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19
Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab; Lk 6:20-26
Thursday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38; Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17
Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35
Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Ps 113:1b-7; Lk 6:43-49
Sunday: Sir 27:30 — 28:9; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12; Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

From the Desk of Fr. Mike

Dear Friends,

I'm happy to welcome this weekend **Aaron Dixon**, our new music director! Aaron will be teaching in our beautiful school as well as coordinating music for our Masses. He will work with the cantors, the choir, the schola, and our kids' choir. He is quite talented at the organ and I know we will all appreciate his gifts! Richard and Curtis will continue to play the organ as well, and Mrs. Disser will continue to work in our school as a sub, help with our music at church, and she will also continue giving me private piano lessons!

St. Anne's Altar Society meets tomorrow, September 11th at 7:00 p.m. downstairs. Hope to see many of you women there. I will be baking some treats to share....and that is not easy for me! That's how much I want you there.

Youth Group kick-off is today. All high schoolers are welcome. 6:00 - 7:30 p.m. We'll meet by the basketball courts. We will discuss things like mission trips, service opportunities, youth trips, retreats, and so on. **Youth Groups, in my mind, are about three things:** 1) building and sharing our faith, 2) having fun with good and holy people, and 3) serving God and one another. That is what we will seek to do through our group. Encourage your kids to attend and to bring a friend. Just give it a try. Thanks to everyone for **buying the MUMs!** Do you know, we sold a record this year: 200!!!

We also start another year of Faith Formation Programs for our young folks today. **Family Faith Formation** is new to St. Joes. We have had some families even join our parish just to be a part of it! About 30 kids are signed up for it. That starts this Saturday night, September 9th. **Our Sunday REP classes** also begin this weekend, after 10:30 a.m. Mass. Another 150 kids are signed up for this. God has many good things in store for us this year. I'm thankful for our catechists more than you can imagine. There is nothing so rewarding as sharing our faith, giving our children Jesus.

Many people were very excited to hear of our trip in December to Texas to help with **Hurricane Harvey relief**. This Parish is a mighty force for good, and this is an example of that. We'll take up our second collection to help our brothers and sisters there this weekend.

With all the activity going on around here, here is a good reminder: **please be careful and patient in the parking lot.** I know we are often in a hurry, but when there are so many children around (as thanks be to God there are here), it is better to slow down and be a minute or two late to wherever we are going than to be in a rush and run into something—or worse, someone.

My prayers and love!
Fr. Mike



Congratulations!

Happy 40th Wedding Anniversary to Charles and Brenda O'Connor. They renewed their vows last weekend after the 5:00 p.m. Mass.



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Congratulations!

We are very blessed to welcome Austin Wyatt Gielgold into our St. Joseph Parish Family. He is the son of Ames and Sarah Giegold. Fr. Mike baptized him on Sunday, September 3rd.

St. Joseph School News

Mark Your Calendar!

Please mark your calendar! The **Annual St. Joseph Reverse Raffle** will be on **Saturday, November 4th** after the 5:00 p.m. Mass.

Caps for a Bench

Please help St. Joseph earn a Recycled Bench in memory of Laura Goode to put in our new school playground. Everyone is asked to get involved and recycle their caps. 400 lbs. of caps will earn 1 recycled bench. Please bring collected caps to school or put them in the container in the Narthex at Church.



Solar Eclipse School Activities

The St. Joseph School students enjoyed participating in various activities to celebrate the solar eclipse.

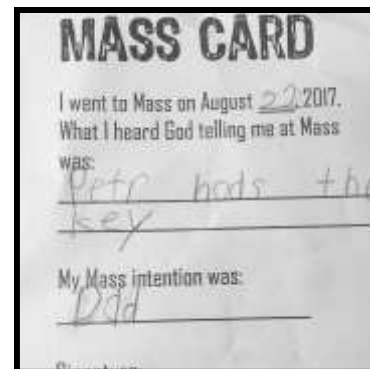


Weekly offering needed for budget \$14,200.00

September 3rd Sunday Collection:	\$11,196.96
September 3rd Online Collection:	\$ 305.00
September 3rd Children's Collection:	\$ 19.40
Total Sunday Collection:	\$11,521.36
September 3rd Church Repair:	\$ 1,173 00
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Past Sunday Collection Totals:

July 2, 2017	\$ 15,232.31
July 9, 2017	\$ 12,391.90
July 16, 2017	\$ 11,997.18
July 23, 2017	\$ 10,816.79
July 30, 2017	\$ 12,201.67
August 6, 2017	\$ 13,870.55
August 13, 2017	\$ 11,337.68
August 20, 2017	\$ 13,174.19
August 27, 2017	\$ 13,914.18



St. Joseph Parishioners

If you have your contribution check directly sent to the parish office from your bank for your Sunday Collection, please update our address to 228 East Hendricks Street. Thank you for your help!



In Condolence

We extend our condolences to the family and friends of John Linne, who passed away on August 20, 2017.

We extend our condolences to the family and friends of Joseph Giglotti who passed away on August 28, 2017.

May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

St. Joseph News



KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Monday thru Saturday

Lunch from 11:00 am - 1:00 p.m.

Phone: 317-398-9914

Dinners

Friday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

2nd Sunday of each month from 11:00 - 1:00 p.m.

Wing and Shrimp Night

Wednesday evening from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Served Hot, Honey Garlic and BBQ

Bingo

Thursday evening from 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Golf League

Tuesday evening 5:30 pm at Bear Chase

Knights of Columbus Meeting Dates

Council Meeting: 8:15 pm: (1st & 3rd Wednesday)

Finance Meeting: 7:00 pm: (1st Wednesday)

Columbian Homes Mtg.: 7:00 pm: (3rd Wednesday)

Second Sunday

Fried Chicken Dinner

Everyone is invited every second Sunday of the month to enjoy a Chicken and Noodles Dinner at the Knights of Columbus. Please join us on this Sunday, September 10th from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Be sure to attend! Cost is \$10.00.

Saint Anne's Altar Society

The St. Joseph Saint Anne's Altar Society will be holding the September planning meeting on **Monday, September 11th** at 7:00 p.m. in the cafeteria. Father Mike will provide support and direction on planning 2018 events. It is customary that all Parish ladies age 18 and older are members of the Society and are strongly encouraged to attend and help the Society grow in fellowship.

Daughters of Isabella

Mark your calendar. The D of I would like to invite everyone to their Annual Card Party on **Wednesday, September 13th** at 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. at the

Knights of Columbus Hall. The cost is the same as last year \$8.00 each. Free food, table prizes, and lots of fun!

St. Joseph News

COLLECTION COUNTER'S SCHEDULE

September 11	Betsy Stephen's Team
September 18	Teresa Wood's Team
September 25	Tom Duvelius' Team
October 2	Nancy Nolting's Team

Upcoming Events/Meetings

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Event</u>
September 11	6:00 p.m.	Adoration
September 11	6:00 p.m.	St. Anne's Altar Society Mtg.
September 12	7:00 p.m.	School Comm. Mtg.
September 13	6:00 p.m.	Adoration/Vespers

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS:

Month of September:

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Host: Elizabeth Fallis, Dennis Frey and Rosemary Grove

Cup: Pat Cassidy, Debbie Frey, Bill Grove and Tom Toll

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Host: Bob Carmony, Steve Lancaster and Nancy McNulty

Cup: Claire Delaney, Mary Kay Hart, Pauline Lancaster and Jerry J. Lux

LECTORS - September 16 & 17

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Diane Gardner and Karen Martin

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Terri Runnebohm and Paul Sanders

USHERS - Month of September

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

John Heppner, Leroy Martin, Paul Nolting and Camille Woods

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Steve Antle, Fred Bohman, Lou Carter and Tom Duvelius

SERVERS - September 16 & 17

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Josh Collins - MC, Ella Johnson and Lilly Johnson

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Julia Sanders - MC, Isaac Byers and Andrew Duffy

MUSIC SCHEDULE - September 16 & 17

Saturday Mass at 5:00 p.m.

Aaron Dixon

Sunday Mass at 10:30 a.m.

Curtis and Angie Davies

St. Vincent News

Sr. Joan's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday's Gospel tells us, "If two of you agree on earth about anything for which they are to pray, it shall be granted to them by my Heavenly Father." We have so much to pray for: Immigrants, starvation, human trafficking, global warming, homelessness, people recovering from hurricane and flood damage, and our own families.

In my corner, I am weekly suggesting ways to pray and things to pray about as you take some quiet time to talk and listen to our God alone. This practice is so important that we should never give it up. This scripture is telling us that it is also so powerful to pray with others. There are many opportunities to do this in our two parishes. St. Vincent has Rosary on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 p.m., The Fall Book Study is also a form of prayer, and Masses and Adoration almost every day of the week. And don't forget you can also pray with your family and spouse. Your home is a domestic church. So, I end this with a prayer today. Jesus, Lord of love, let us trust in your words. Let us come together and pray as one.

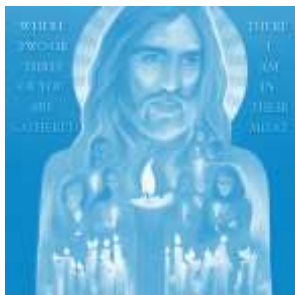
Sr. Joan Miller

We joyfully share our gifts to nourish the community. ---- St. Vincent Purpose Statement



September 3, 2017

Sunday Collection:	\$ 5,167.00
Children Collection:	\$ 9.96



Praying the Rosary

Please join us to pray the Rosary at St. Vincent Church on Wednesday, September 13th at 5:30 p.m.

St. Vincent's News

St. Vincent Confirmation Class

The first Confirmation Class for Freshman and Sophomore High School Students and older students who would like to be in the 2018 Confirmation Class will be on **Sunday, September 17th at 4:00 - 5:30 p.m.** in the school building. A parent or guardian should also come on the first class to sign permission slips and pay the \$40.00 fee. If you need to register, please call St. Vincent's Church Office at 317-398-4028 or email stvincent4218@gmail.com.



K of C Pork Chop Dinner

The St. Vincent's Knights of Columbus will have their delicious Pork Chop Dinner on **Saturday, September 16th** from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the Parish Hall. Contact Earl Weaver at 317-525-9909 or Tom Zobel at 317-392-3082 for tickets. Pre-sale tickets are \$9.00 and tickets at the door are \$12.00. Please donate pies and cookies.

St. Vincent Finance Committee

The St. Vincent's Finance Committee meeting will be on Tuesday, September 12th at 7:00 p.m. in Sister Joan's house.

St. Vincent's K of C

The St. Vincent's Knights of Columbus Father Segar Council Business Meeting will meet on Thursday, September 14th in the Parish Hall. Dinner is served at 6:30 p.m. with the Business Meeting to follow at 7:00 p.m.

St. Vincent's St. Ann Altar Society

The St. Vincent's St. Ann Altar Society will meet on Monday, September 18th at 7:00 p.m. in the Parish Hall. The September Committee is: Rosanna Rodgers, Martha Spalding and Pat Rosenfeld. St. Ann's Fall Rummage Sale is in October. Please bring your clean usable rummage to Sister Joan's garage anytime. If you can help at the sale, please call Eileen Settles at 765-525-9965.

St. Vincent News Salvation Army Dinner

St. Vincent will be hosting the salvation Army Dinner on Sunday, October 8th. The menu will be pulled pork sandwiches, macaroni and cheese, baked beans, applesauce and dessert. The following donations are needed:

- 100 Dessert plates
- 100 To Go Boxes with compartments
- 1 - 250 Count Napkins
- 8 - 48 oz. jars of Applesauce
- 2 - 1 gal. Arizona Sweet Tea
- 1 - 1 gal. Arizona Unsweet Tea
- 2 - 1 gal. Lemonade
- 7 - Desserts to serve 15 people each

If you would like to make a donation from the list above or help work from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., please call Jean Adams at 317-696-0778 or Joyce Ford at 317-392-4210. Thank you for your generous support.



St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery Endowment Fund

Thank you to **Francis Rosenfeld** for your generous support of the St. Vincent de Paul Cemetery Fund in honor of the memory of his brother, **Mark Rosenfeld**. May we all continue to remember Mark in our prayers.

September/October Newsletters

The St. Vincent's September Newsletter is in the rack at each Church door. Please take one and pass one on to a friend or you may view it online at www.svdppcc.com. The deadline for the October Newsletter is Sunday, September 17th. Please share your joys and sorrows with your Parish Family. Put your items in the orange envelope at each Church door, call Pat Barley at 765-265-7195 or email her at pat.barley49@gmail.com.

August Food Drive

The St. Vincent's August Food Drive will be on Sunday, September 17th. Please share your bounty with your neighbors in need. Just one item can make a difference. Personal care products are always needed.

St. Joseph/St. Vincent News



New Mass Schedule Changes (Beginning August 6th)

St. Joseph - 8:15 School Mass Tuesdays
5:00 p.m. Mass on Tuesdays
No Mass on Thursdays
8:15 a.m. Mass on Fridays

St. Vincent - 5:00 p.m. Mass on Mondays
8:00 a.m. Mass on Wednesdays

Weekend Mass Schedule change:

On Sunday, September 10th the Spanish Mass will change to 1:00 p.m.

Fr. Mike Online

Fr. Mike has a blog that he updates almost daily with a daily devotional or challenge. He posts his Sunday homilies there as well. You can sign up to receive his daily posts in your email as well. Simply go to unendingmercy.com. He is also on Instagram as [frmike_](#) and on Facebook as Mike Keucher. He will be posting parish news often!



Free Fall Book Study

Have you been resisting using your Easter gift "Resisting Happiness"? Resist no longer. Now is the time to shake off the dust that has accumulated since the Lenten Book Study. The Fall Study will offer 2 options to grow in faith and happiness along with fellow members of our Shelby County Catholic Community. The Sunday class begins on October 1st at 11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. and the Wednesday class begins on October 4th at 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. and continues for 7 weeks. The classes will meet in the cafeteria of St. Joseph Church. You may register after Mass on Saturday, September 16th and Saturday, September 23rd or email Deacon Tom at thill@sjsshelbyville.org
DON'T RESIST - BE HAPPY!

St. Joseph/St. Vincent News

St. Joseph and St. Vincent Rite of Christian Initiation

RCIA classes are for those adults (18 years and older) who would like to know more about the Catholic Faith. It is also for those who desire to be received in full communion to the Catholic Church. This includes Catechumens and Candidates. Catechumens are those who have never been baptized by any Christian Church. Candidates are individuals who have been baptized in any Christian Church but have not been confirmed in the Catholic Church. St. Joseph and St. Vincent Classes will be held jointly this year beginning Monday, September 18th at 7:00 p.m. There is no fee for these classes. Contact either Parish Office: St. Joseph at 317-398-8227 or St. Vincent at 317-398-4028 if you have questions or want to register. Now is the time to invite friends, family and neighbors who may be interested in learning more about our faith. Invite them to come along with you to see what it is like. All are welcome!



St. Joe Social Club

The St. Joe Social Club will meet on Monday, September 18th at the Knights of Columbus Hall. Doors will open at 11:15 a.m. with lunch served at 12:00 Noon. A Swiss Steak Dinner with all the trimmings will be served and the cost is \$12.00. Come and join us. Reservations or cancellations for the meal must be made by Wednesday, September 13th by 12:00 Noon to Peggy Forest at 317-398-0084. Please remember to bring a canned or non-perishable food item for the Salvation Army Food Pantry. If you are interested in a trip, call Russell Schofner at 317-392-2944 for more information.

Today's Readings

First Reading — Warn the wicked, trying to turn them from their ways (Ezekiel 33:7-9).

Psalms — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

Second Reading — Owe nothing to anyone, except mutual love (Romans 13:8-10).

Gospel — If two agree about anything for which they pray, it shall be granted to them (Matthew 18:15-20).

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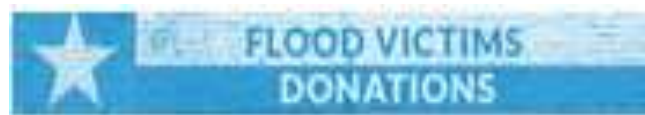
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Hurricane Harvey Help!

A letter from Msgr. Stumpf about Hurricane Harvey: We are all aware of the destruction and devastation brought about by Hurricane Harvey. Obviously our brothers and sisters in Southeast Texas are in need of our assistance. Archbishop Thompson asks all Parishes to please respond to this request for assistance. **At St. Joseph and St. Vincent Churches**, we will have a collection to help our brothers and sisters effected by the hurricane and subsequent flooding and damage **on September 9th and 10th. God bless you for your generosity.**

St. Joseph/St. Vincent News

Deacon's Corner

Dear Friends,
The Archdiocese of Indianapolis has

posted an invitation in the *Criterion* to Catholic men of our diocese to consider a vocation to be permanent deacons. In conjunction with considering who you know that may make for a good priest or nun, please, consider the men of our Catholic faith community who may make for good deacons. Then, share with them the following article from the *Criterion* and encourage them to prayerfully consider the invitation. Men, if you feel a slight “tug” or “push” to attend; please, pay attention to that, leave your heart’s door open, “leave your nets”, follow the call and see where it may lead you.

Fr. Mike recently spoke of his love for being a priest. I echo Fr. Mike’s proclamation in stating my love for being a deacon. God has marvelous gifts waiting for those who answer the call. The Lord gives and the Lord gives and the Lord gives... blessed be the Lord! ... and those who answer his call.

Peace,
Deacon Tom
(PS: Any questions? Contact me, please call [\(812\) 343-1749](tel:812-343-1749) or thill@sjsshelbyville.org.)

Informational meeting for permanent diaconate set for September 10th in Indianapolis.

The archdiocesan [Office of Deacon Formation](#) is beginning a period of inquiry and discernment for those interested in the permanent diaconate. In the Arch-

diocese of Indianapolis, formation for the permanent diaconate is a five-year process beginning with a year of inquiry and discernment.

The first year includes a series of monthly meetings, beginning in September and concluding in April, which are held in various locations around the archdiocese. The sessions are open to all those who wish to enter into discernment. Serious applicants are expected to attend all the meetings. If they are married, it is asked that their wives also attend.

Formal application packets will be distributed in January of the discernment year to those who have actively participated in the discernment process. The applications will then be reviewed by a selection committee, and those who are selected to enter formation will begin the formal four-year process in August 2018.

The first inquiry session will take place at 2:30 p.m. on September 10th at St. Lawrence Parish, 6944 E. 46th St., in Indianapolis. The topic will be the “Diaconate as Vocation,” and will also discuss necessary qualifications and the four-year formation process. A finalized schedule of monthly meetings will be published soon.

No preregistration is required for these sessions, and each session will begin at 2:30 p.m. and end by 4:30 p.m. *For more information, contact the archdiocesan Office of Deacon Formation at [800-382-9836](tel:800-382-9836), ext. 1492, [317-236-1492](tel:317-236-1492), or e-mail Deacon Kerry Blandford, archdiocesan director of deacon formation, at kblandford@archindy.org.* †



Indiana Catholic Men's Conference

MEN of all ages: REGISTER NOW for the Twelfth Annual Indiana Catholic Men's Conference, which will be held Saturday, **September 30th** at the Indiana Convention Center. Join men from across

Indiana, Archbishop Charles C. Thompson and nationally known Catholic speakers, Msgr. Charles Pope, Deacon Larry Oney and Brian Patrick. Fr. Mike Keucher is the MC. Bring your son, father, and/or a friend for this wonderful, spirit filled day. For more information or to register, go to www.indianacatholicmen.com.