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The Baptism of the Lord



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Office Hours

St. Mary: Monday & Friday 9 am to 2 pm
Wednesday 9 am to 12:30 pm

St. Theresa: Tuesday & Thursday 10 am to 3 pm

Bulletin deadline is Wednesday at noon.
Email bulletin announcements to the parish office.
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Reception of Sacraments

(Parish Registration is required for Sacraments of Initiation and Marriage)

Sacraments of Initiation—Baptism, First Communion, Confirmation: Please contact the parish office:
St. Mary at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Marriage: Please contact the parish office: St. Mary at 270-496-4333 on Monday & Wednesday or St. Theresa at 270-496-4362 on Tuesday & Thursday.

Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick: Contact Fr. George at 502-718-7106 or e-mail: gillikkal@archlou.org.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Before the weekend Masses: Saturday at St. Mary from 5:15 to 5:45 pm and on Sunday at St. Mary from 7:45 to 8:15 am and at St. Theresa following the 10:30 am Mass, upon request.

Responsorial Psalm: All the ends of the ends of earth have seen the power of God."

St. Mary Ministers for January 17 & 18

Saturday, 6:00 pm

Lectors: Frank Rogers & Teri Dugan
Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Rogers & David Dugan
Altar Servers: Volunteers

Sunday, 8:30 am

Lectors: Sarah Richardson & Glenn Mattingly
Eucharistic Ministers: Shirley Beavin & Paul Fackler
Altar Servers: Maci Livers & Blair Stull



Fatima Statue

January 11 - Ron & Jill Pike
January 18 - Earl & Shirley Roach

St. Mary Magdalen of Pazzi Church Mass Intentions for the Week

Monday	8:30 a.m.	Eddie Greenwell
Wednesday	6:30 p.m.	Fred Pike
Saturday	6:00 p.m.	St. Mary & St. Theresa Parishioners
Sunday	8:30 a.m.	Alberta Beavin

St. Theresa of Avila Church Mass Intentions for the Week

Tuesday	8:30 a.m.	Pike/Kullman Families
Thursday	8:30 a.m.	John & Viola Elder Family
Sunday	10:30 a.m.	Danny O'Donoghue

Stewardship of Treasure

St. Mary Weekly goal	3,461.54
January 4 Collection	2,161.00
Special Collection (The Record/Solemnity of Mary)	549.00
Online tithes	855.00
Total offering	3,565.00
St. Theresa Weekly Goal	3,076.00
January 4 Collection	2,398.03
Special Collection (The Record)	228.00
Online tithes	145.00
Total offering	2,771.03

Thank you for your stewardship sacrifice ...
it IS appreciated!

What's Happening This Week

Sunday, January 11

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary

10:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Monday, January 12

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary

9:00 am-12:00 pm/5:00-8:00 pm: *Eucharistic Adoration* at St. Mary

Tuesday, January 13

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Wednesday, January 14

6:00 pm *Religious Education*

6:30 pm **Mass** at St. Mary

Thursday, January 15

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

Friday, January 16

7:00 pm **Bingo**

Saturday, January 17

7:30 am **Men's Prayer Group**

6:00 pm **Mass** at St. Mary

Sunday, January 18

8:30 am **Mass** at St. Mary

10:30 am **Mass** at St. Theresa

11:30 am *FLC Monthly Meal*



Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, 6:00 pm at St. Mary
(January thru June)

Sunday, 8:30 am at St. Mary

Sunday, 10:30 am at St. Theresa

St. Mary Friday Bingo

January 16, 2026

Manager: Margaret McCoy **Workers:** Debbie Pickering, Becca Cashman, Andrew Goins, Steve Goins

HELP! BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!!!!

Bingo managers are needed. Unless we get a couple more volunteers for Bingo manager, we may be forced to stop. Weekly earnings are approximately \$800 and help meet the parish annual budget. If you can help, come to St. Mary Parish Hall on any Friday at 6 pm and talk to either Juanita or Margaret. Bingo starts at 7 pm.

Upcoming Events

Please save the following dates.

FLC Monthly Meal, January 18

St. Mary Parish Appreciation Dinner, February 7

St. Theresa Parish Appreciation Dinner, February 8

Ash Wednesday, February 18

Blood Drive, St. Mary's, March 3, 1:00 pm

Easter Sunday, April 5

First Communion, April 12

St. Mary's Summer Picnic, June 13

HOSPITAL AND HOMEBOUND MINISTRY

PARISH DISPATCHERS

St. Mary: Brenda Knott 270-497-4418

St. Theresa: Brenda Redman 270-496-4329

If you know someone who is ill, in the hospital, in need of a home visit or food, please notify our dispatchers. Volunteers are needed to visit those in the hospital, make home visits, send cards and prepare or deliver food. Please contact the dispatcher listed above or call the parish office if you would like to help. This ministry is not just for our parishioners but also for anyone in our community.

Please remember those in the hospital, the homebound and those in need of our prayers!



Special Prayer Request for....

David Schaflein, Patricia Christ, Tonya Claycomb, Lorraine Yokie, Millie Morgan, Linda Pike, Taylor Chaffin, Andy Weick, Rita Barr, Mary Hager, Tenley Ward, Julie King & family, David Barr, Judy Glaros, Wayne Perguson, Lisa Jenkins, Mary Jo Armer, Olivia Barr, Sandra Mercer, Jim Crigler, Jimmy Hardesty, Dustin White, Jeanie Moss, Kristen Cooper, Donna Hesler Argabright, Regina Bennett, Andrea Esarey, Pamela Knapp, Kamman Shelman, Jackson Popham, Chris Cornelius, Wayne Mattingly, Meagan Robinson and baby, Larry Powell, Debbie Garverich, Anna Mary Barr, Carlenene Gottbrath, Marcia Rough, Kyle Webster, Bill & Marie Morton, Cheryl McKeahan, Martha Severs, Rylee Stull & babies, Regina Hayes, Dink Keen, Jerry "Chicken" Lancaster, Doris Howard, Anne Hall White, Ron Foushee, Greg Parker, Rose Clark

Note: Please call or email Dottie or Karen at the parish office for any changes to the prayer list.

Christmas Decorations

St. Mary's will be taking down Christmas decorations after the Sunday Mass this weekend. Any and all help will be appreciated. At that time, anyone wanting a poinsettia, please feel free to take. Thank you!

Family Life Center Monthly Meal

The monthly FLC meal will be Sunday, January 18, following the 10:30 am Mass. Menu will be a variety of soups. Come enjoy a good meal and great fellowship. Everyone is invited.



READINGS for Sunday, January 11, 2026

Isaiah 42:1-4, 6-7

Acts of the Apostles, 10:34-38

Matthew 3:13-17

READINGS for Sunday, January 18, 2026

Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

1 Corinthians, 1:1-3

John 1:29-34

Internet Site for Liturgy Readings:

<https://liturgy.slu.edu/index.html>

Prayer Intention for the Week

 For a greater awareness of the deepest longings within our hearts: that we may recognize the hopes and dreams which God has placed in our hearts and allow God to lead us to their fulfillment.

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"I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth." **Isaiah 49:6**

The kingdom of heaven not only awaits us in the future, but is also already present. Our stewardship helps build the kingdom in the here and now. Whenever we share our time, talent and treasure, we help bring this kingdom into existence.



Malerie Haynes facilitating a discussion with the youth on reconciliation during Religious Education.

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American Red Cross Blood Drive

 Thank you to all that donated and attempted to donate. We collected 28 productive units. Your donation helped save a life. The next donation is scheduled for March 3, 2026.

Basketball Free Throw Competition

The Knights of Columbus are hosting their annual Basketball Free Throw Competition on Monday, January 19, starting at 3:00 pm at St. John's Gym. No prior registration required. Free and open to all boys and girls ages 9-14. POC is Stephen Spohn at (304) 238-8524.



Thank you!

The family of Marion Manning would like to thank our church family and community for all the love shown to him (and us) up until the day of his passing. Thank you to Jeff Smith for faithfully bringing Holy Eucharist on Sunday for many months. Thank you Father George and Deacon Greg for administering Last Rites with compassion, and in such a way that comforted Uncle Marion as well as us. For the Mass of Christian burial by Father George, the heartfelt homily by Deacon Greg, the beautiful music by Tammy Cashman, Mille Smith and Joyce Manning, we thank you all. For the delicious meal prepared and served by our church family, we thank each of you for providing a dish (or more) and for Brenda Redman for making the call to ensure there was plenty of food. Thank you all and may God bless each and every one of you.

Condolences

Earlene S. (Beavin) Dickerson, sister of Deacon Greg and Stephen Beavin passed on December 23rd in Jasper, Indiana, surrounded by her family. Visitation will be on Saturday, January 17, at 11:00 am in the Gathering Space at St. Mary's prior to her funeral mass at 12:00 pm. Burial will be in the church cemetery where she will be laid to rest with her parents. A funeral meal will follow in Johnson Hall, St. Theresa's.

May she rest in peace.

St. Mary's Picnic Date Change!!!!

Reminder: Picnic date is now June 13, 2026. There will be a meeting within the next few months. Date/time will be posted in the bulletin and everyone is welcome to attend.

Lenten Palms

If anyone has any palms left over from Lent, please feel free to bring in and drop in the boxes that will be set up in the back of the churches starting next weekend. Thank you.

Thank you!

We want to extend a huge thanks to our youth for sharing their time and talent at the Sunday mass this weekend at St. Mary's.

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