



St. Joseph Catholic Church

FRANCISCANS OF MARY

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MASS SCHEDULE

Saturday - English Vigil Mass of Sunday at 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - English 10:00 a.m. / Spanish 12:30 p.m.

Weekdays - Tuesday, Wednesday,
& Thursday at 9:30 a.m.

and Thursday 6:30 p.m. (Spanish)

Eucharistic Adoration

all day on Thursdays from 10 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday from 6:30 p.m. to 7:15 p.m.

Sunday from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Weekdays - Tuesday & Wednesday
from 9:00 a.m. to 9:20 a.m.

Thursday from 10:00 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

and from 5:30 p.m. to 6:15 p.m.

Spiritual Direction - By appointment

MASSES WITH THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

First Wednesday of the month /

English at 9:30 a.m. with the Litany to St. Joseph.

Primer jueves de cada mes

en español a las 6:30 p.m.

ENGLISH MASS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS

First Friday of the month

at 9:30 a.m. and coffee & donuts after Mass.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Tuesday from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday and Thursday - From 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

**HOSANNA! BLESSED IS HE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD!
¡HOSANNA! ¡BENDITO EL QUE VIENE EN NOMBRE DEL SEÑOR!**



WORD OF LIFE

Palm Sunday of the Passion of the Lord: I Am the Traitor

“And as they reclined at table and were eating, Jesus said, ‘Amen, I say to you, one of you will betray me, one who is eating with me.’ They began to be distressed and to say to him, one by one, ‘Surely it is not I?’ He said to them, ‘One of the Twelve, the one who dips with me into the dish.’” (Mark 14: 18-20)

Holy Week opens with Palm Sunday and, in this joyous festival, the future tragedy is already foreshadowed. The people who applauded and shouted the welcoming hymn of “Hosanna” as the Lord entered Jerusalem are the same ones who, only a few days later, are silent or shouting “Crucify Him!” That is the way man is. So it has been and so it will continue to be. Those who were friends during times of success disappear or, worse yet, become enemies when bad times arrive.

That is why we must live Holy Week in a very personal way: by trying to discover our similarity with each of its key participants. There are times in life when we are the innocent and crucified Christ, but there are many more times when we are the traitorous Judas or the fearful Peter, who denies even knowing the Lord. Fortunately, there are also times in which we become the Cyrene who helps the one who is crushed under the weight of his cross. Therefore, let’s discover our part in the Passion of the Lord. May our desire to avoid everything that causes Christ to suffer as well as our love for Him increase. This will only be achieved to the extent that we realize it is our sins and our betrayals that led the Lord to Calvary and that Christ suffered and died for each and every one of us.

PURPOSE: When you see someone doing wrong or not doing good, ask yourself, “And what about me?” Even though what you are doing may seem trivial and not as serious, in reality, it could possibly be much, much worse.

Fr. Santiago Martin, FM / Founder of the Franciscans of Mary Community

- Ellen Heiny
- Mary Mynhier
- Lily Jagoda
- Aaron Keith
- Ignacio Soto
- Domingo Soto
- Kevin Beuret
- Antelmo Soto



Please remember to pray for those who are sick or suffering.
If you have any prayer request and you would like us to post it in the Bulletin please contact the Parish Secretary.
We are here to pray for you and your needs!

PETICIONES DE ORACIÓN

Por favor, recuerden orar por aquellos que están enfermos o sufriendo. Si tienen alguna petición de oración y desean publicarla en el Boletín, pónganse en contacto con la Secretaria Parroquial.
!Estamos aquí para orar por usted y sus necesidades!

PARISH OFFICE

**On Tuesday March 26,
It will be open
from 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

CLOSED in the afternoon!



PALABRA DE VIDA

Domingo de Ramos: Soy yo el traidor

“Estando a la mesa comiendo dijo Jesús: Os aseguro que uno de vosotros me va a entregar: uno que está comiendo conmigo. Ellos, consternados, empezaron a preguntarle uno tras otro: ¿Seré yo? Respondió: Uno de los doce, el que está mojado en la misma fuente que yo”. (Mc 14, 18-20)

La Semana Santa se abre con el domingo de Ramos y, en esta fiesta tan alegre, se encierra ya la futura tragedia. Los mismos que un día aplaudieron cuando el Señor entró en Jerusalén son los que callan a los pocos días o, yendo aún más allá, cambian el significado de sus gritos para pedir que le crucifiquen después de haber gritado poco antes el himno de bienvenida del hosanna. Así es el hombre. Así ha sido y así sigue siendo. Los amigos de las horas de éxito desaparecen o incluso se tornan en enemigos cuando llegan los momentos malos.

Por eso debemos vivir la Semana Santa en una clave personal, intentando introducirnos en cada uno de los personajes que intervienen en la misma para descubrir nuestra similitud con ellos. Porque hay momentos en la vida en que nosotros somos el Cristo inocente y crucificado, mientras que hay otros –los más– en que somos el Judas traidor o el Pedro que niega conocer al Señor. Tampoco faltan, afortunadamente, instantes en que nos convertimos en el Cireneo que ayuda al que está aplastado por el peso de su cruz. Descubramos, pues, nuestra participación en la Pasión del Señor y que crezca nuestro amor a Él y nuestro deseo de evitarle todo tipo de sufrimiento. Lo conseguiremos en la medida en que nos demos cuenta de que Cristo ha sufrido y ha muerto por nosotros, por cada uno de nosotros, pues han sido nuestras traiciones y nuestros pecados los que le han llevado al Calvario.

Propósito: Cuando vea a alguien hacer el mal o dejar de hacer el bien, me preguntaré ¿Y yo qué? Quizá no haga algo tan grave, pero es posible que sea peor lo mío aunque sea menor.

Fr. Santiago Martín, FM / Fundador de la Comunidad Franciscanos de María

LAST WEEK COLLECTION

(Colecta de la semana pasada)

March 17, 2024

- Saturday and Sunday Masses	\$3,286.00
- Charity Box	\$20.32
- Franciscans of Mary	\$163.00
- Donation in memory of +Ellen Helmkamp	\$450.00
- Priests of LaGrange	\$40.00
- Rel. Ed. Confirmation Retreat \$600.00 and Text books	\$120.00
- RCIA	\$50.00
- Maintenance \$20.00	- Catholic Relief service \$10.00
- Good Friday \$10.00	- Easter flowers \$20.00
- Grant for new furnace	\$34,000.00

Total: \$38,801.32 Thank you for your support!

LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL

**Estará abierta
el martes 26 de marzo
De 11:30 am a 3:30 pm**

¡CERRADA por la tarde!

ST. PAUL'S Chapel
8780 E. 700 N.
Fremont, IN 46737

ST. JOSEPH Catholic Church
50 N. 100 E.,
La Grange, IN 46761

ST. ANTHONY'S Catholic Church
700 W Maumee St.,
Angola, IN 46703

Women's Rosary

Dear sister, please join us for a special evening of prayer

Opening with Nicole Bobay sharing
AN INSPIRATIONAL MESSAGE
preparing our hearts for
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & RECITATION OF THE HOLY ROSARY
at the end of the evening we will share our **FELLOWSHIP**
by sharing refreshments together

When? Monday, March 25th. *What time?* 6:30 p.m

Where? St. Anthony of Padua Parish, Angola IN

**WHO CAN FIND A WOMAN OF WORTH?
FAIR BEYOND JEWELS IS HER VALUE.**
Proverbs 31, 10

MASS INTENTIONS - 2024

Saturday, March 23 / Palm Sunday

- 5:00 p.m. **+Edwin North**

Palm Sunday, March 24

- 10:00 a.m. People of the Parish

- 12:30 p.m. (Spanish) **+Efigenia Albor**

Tuesday, March 26

9:30 a.m. **Santiago Martinez (Birthday)**

Wednesday, March 27

- 9:30a.m. **Angelica Garcia (Birthday)**

Holy Thursday, March 28

- 7:00 p.m. **+Melchor Montoya**

Good Friday, March 29 / The Passion of the Lord

- 3:00 p.m. / **No intention this day!**

OFFERING MASS INTENTIONS

Remember that you can offer intentions for your deceased, sick relatives or for any other intention by coming to the Parish Office during office's hours. According to Canon Law, the bishops of a Providence determine the offering amount the offering amount that seems appropriate. The bishops of the Indiana Providence have determined that the appropriate offering is \$10.00.

OFRECER INTENCIONES PARA LA MISA

Recuerde que puede ofrecer intenciones por sus difuntos, familiares enfermos o por cualquier otra intención viniendo a la oficina Parroquial durante el horario de oficina. Según el Derecho Canónico, los obispos de una Providencia determinan el monto de la ofrenda que les parece apropiado. Los obispos de la Providencia de Indiana han determinado que la ofrenda apropiada es de \$10.00.

Rosario de Mujeres

Querida hermana, te invitamos a una especial tarde de oración

La hermana Nicole Bobay va a compartirnos **UNA HERMOSA PREDICA** y así prepararemos nuestros corazones **PARA ADORAR AL SANTÍSIMO Y PARA REZAR EL SANTO ROSARIO** al final todas están invitadas a compartir un momento de **FRATERNIDAD** compartiendo juntas un refrigerio

¿DÓNDE?
Iglesia de San Antonio en Angola, IN

¿CUÁNDO?
Lunes Santo, a las 25 de marzo 6:30 p.m.

UNA MUJER FUERTE, ¿QUIÉN LA HALLARÁ? SUPERA EN VALOR A LAS PERLAS.
Proverbios 31, 10

Holy Week Schedule 2024



HOLY THURSDAY - March 28th
Bilingual Mass of the Lord's Supper with washing of the feet.
At 7:00 p.m.
After Eucharistic Adoration until 11:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY - March 29th
The Passion of the Lord
Bilingual Celebration at 3:00 p.m.
After the Stations of the Cross will be prayed.

HOLY SATURDAY - March 30th
Bilingual Easter Vigil in the Holy Night
At 9:00 p.m.
*People can bring water and candles to be blessed.

EASTER SUNDAY - March 31st
Sunday of Resurrection
English Mass at 10 a.m.

HORARIO DE LA SEMANA SANTA

JUEVES SANTO - 28 de marzo
⇒ 7:00 p.m. - Santa Misa bilingüe de la Cena del Señor con lavatorio de los pies. Después habrá Adoración Eucarística hasta las 11:00 p.m.

VIERNES SANTO - 29 de marzo
⇒ 3:00 p.m. - Celebración bilingüe de la Pasión del Señor.
⇒ Después rezo del Santo Viacrucis.

SABADO SANTO - 30 de marzo
⇒ 9:00 p.m. - Vigilia Pascual bilingüe de la Noche Santa.
*Pueden traer agua y velas para bendecir.

DOMINGO DE PASCUA - 31 de marzo
⇒ 12:30 p.m. (Misa de español) - Domingo de Resurrección.

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

HOLY THURSDAY - March 28, 2024
AT 7:00 P.M.

ALTAR SERVERS

- ⇒ Jazlyn Garcia, Jesus Garcia
- ⇒ Emilia Mendoza & Ariana Garcia

LECTORS

- ⇒ Delores Henderson & Anna Mendoza

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- ⇒ Larry Gephart

USHERS

- ⇒ Jay and Christine Benak & Jesus Luna y Sara Ortega

WASHING OF THE FEET

- ⇒ Aaron Keith , Delores Henderson, Tom and Robin McCue, Paul Offerle and Larry Gephart
- ⇒ Pedro Flores, Griselda Nieves, Julio Luna, Elvira Garcia, Nancy Huerta y Arely Rivera.

***Candle Bearers for Procession with the Blessed Sacrament - Lily Jagoda and Mary Beth Hirzel**

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

GOOD FRIDAY - March 29, 2024
AT 3:00 P.M.

ALTAR SERVERS

- ⇒ Valentina Mendoza & Arisbeth Alvarez

LECTORS

- ⇒ Lily Jagoda (1st reading & Voice)
- ⇒ Celina Gonzalez (Segunda lectura & 2 intenciones)
- ⇒ Delores Henderson (Narrator / Solemn Intercessions)

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- ⇒ Larry Gephart

USHERS

- ⇒ Elena Vieyra
- ⇒ Francisco Garcia

DAUGHTERS OF MARY

- ⇒ Marilyn Morton and Sherry Offerle

SIERVAS DE MARIA

- ⇒ Veronica Montoya and Lupita Hurtado

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

HOLY SATURDAY - March 30, 2024
AT 9:00 P.M.

ALTAR SERVERS

- ⇒ Jesus Garcia, Ruben Jr. Hurtado
- Alejandro and Adrian Barajas

LECTORS

- ⇒ Lupita Hurtado, Delores Henderson, Mike Keith
- ⇒ Guadalupe Barajas / Epistle in Spanish

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- ⇒ Marilyn Morton

USHERS

- ⇒ Paul and Sherry Offerle
- ⇒ Aurelio Luna and Jesus Luna

GIFTS BEARES

- ⇒ Debbie and Mike Stroop

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SUNDAY OF RESURRECTION - 2024

ALTAR SERVERS

- ⇒ 10:00 a.m. Gaby Medina, Xavi Nieto, Jeshua Nieves Ariana Garcia.
- ⇒ 12:30 p.m. Arisbeth Alvarez, David Granados, Adrian Barajas y Pedro Flores

LECTORS

- ⇒ 10:00 a.m. Delores Henderson & Lily Jagoda
- ⇒ 12:30 p.m. Guadalupe Barajas y Alejandra Heredia

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

- ⇒ 10:00 a.m. Larry Gephart, Tom McCue, Yolanda Garcia
- ⇒ 12:30 p.m. Maria Hernandez, Manuel Jasso y Sara Ortega

USHERS

- ⇒ 10:00 a.m. Gaby & Alejandro Medina, Andrew Stroop And Jeremiah Rogers
- ⇒ 12:30 p.m. Julian Alvarez, Salvador Nieves Moises Luna y Julio Luna

CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING EVENTS

Calendario de próximos eventos

On Holy Thursday, March 28

We are going to have Eucharistic Adoration after Mass until 11:00 p.m. and we would like to encourage people to sign up in the gathering area at what time they could be Adoring our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament; More than one person can sign up at the same time as long as all times are covered. Thank you!

On Sunday, March 24

⇒ Youth group meeting

From 5:00 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Church.

If your children would like to join them parents need to stop by the parish office to fill out the registration form. Students from 7th to 12th grade are welcome to join it!

On Monday, March 25 / Women's Rosary

At St. Anthony Parish in Angola.

At 6:30 p.m. and all women from the Parishes St. Joseph LaGrange, St. Paul - Fremont and St. Anthony - Angola are invite to pray the Holy Rosary.

Good Friday, March 29 / Special Collection Pontifical Collection for the Holy Land

Pope Francis has asked our parish to support the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, your support is essential to help the Church ministers in Parishes, provide Catholic school, offers religious education, also to preserve the sacred shrines Christianity including Jerusalem, Nazareth and Bethlehem. The pandemic had hid Christians in the Holy Land hard, the war made their situation even more dramatic. When you contribute this collection, you join with catholics around the world in solidarity with the church. Please be generous!

The Annual Chrism Masses

They will be held at Saint Matthew Cathedral in South Bend on Monday, March 25, at 7:00 p.m.; and at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Fort Wayne on Tuesday, March 26, at 7:00 p.m.

El Jueves Santo, 28 de marzo

Vamos a tener Adoración Eucarística después de la Misa hasta las 11:00 p.m. y nos gustaría animar a la gente a inscribirse en el área de reunión a qué hora podrían estar Adorando a Nuestro Señor en el Santísimo Sacramento; Mas de una persona se puede inscribir en un mismo horario siempre y cuando todas las horas estén cubiertas, muchas gracias.

Domingo, 24 de marzo

⇒ Reunión del grupo de jóvenes

De 5:00 p.m. a 6:30 p.m. en la Iglesia.

Si su hijo desea formar parte del grupo juvenil los padres de familia deben pasar por la oficina parroquial para llenar el formulario de inscripción.

¡Estudiantes de 7º a 12º grado son bienvenidos a participar!

El Lunes, Marzo 25 / Rosario de Mujeres

- En la Parroquia de San Antonio en Angola a las 6:30 p.m. Todas las mujeres de las parroquia de San José - Lagrange, San Pablo - Fremont y San Antonio - Angola están invitadas a unirse a rezar el Santo Rosario.

Viernes Santo, 29 de marzo / Colecta especial Colecta Pontifical para ayudar a Tierra Santa

El Papa Francisco ha pedido a nuestra parroquia que apoye la Colecta Pontifical del Viernes Santo, su apoyo es esencial para ayudar a los ministros de la Iglesia en las Parroquias, proveer escuelas católicas, ofrecer educación religiosa, también para preservar los santuarios sagrados cristianos, incluyendo Jerusalén, Nazaret y Belén. La pandemia afectó duramente a los cristianos en Tierra Santa, y la guerra hizo aún más dramática su situación. Al contribuir con esta colecta, usted se une a los católicos de todo el mundo en solidaridad con la Iglesia. Por favor, ¡sea generoso!

Las Misas Crismales

Se llevarán a cabo en la Catedral de San Mateo en South Bend el lunes 25 de marzo, a las 7:00 pm; y en la Catedral de La Inmaculada Concepción en Fort Wayne el martes 26 de marzo, a las 7:00 pm.

FISH FRY

On Good Friday, March 29th - It will be our LAST SALE of fish fried in the social hall.

From 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Dinning in or Carry out!!

Menu: 4 pieces of fried fish, French fries, Rice, Coleslaw, and Tartar Sauce.

Price: \$12.00

VENTA DE PESCADO FRITO

El Viernes Santo, será nuestra ÚLTIMA VENTA de pescado frito en el salón parroquial.

De 3 pm a 6 pm Precio: \$12.00 el platillo



St. Joseph Feast 2024



ST. JOSEPH PARISH - FRANCISCANS OF MARY STAFF & VOLUNTEERS

Pastor: Fr. Osman Ramos, FM - (osmanramosguzman@hotmail.com)
His office hours are Wednesday and Thursday from 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
(If you want to talk to him, please make an appointment by calling at the Parish Office)

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Raúl Marroquin, FM - (raul@frmaria.org)
Parochial Vicar: Fr. Antonio Gutiérrez, FM - (antoniogg_13@hotmail.com)

Parish Secretary & DRE: Lupita Hurtado (secretary@saintjosephlagrange.org)
Bookkeeper: Chris Strong (accountant@saintjosephlagrange.org)

Sacristan & Cleaning: Veronica Montoya
Maintenance: Tom McCue
Saturday evening Pianist: Kevin Ramer

Sunday morning Pianist (volunteer): Elizabeth Rogers
Spanish Choir Coordinators (volunteers): Luz Piña / Miguel Muñoz



Dear Parishioner,
If you would like to make a donation for the works of charity of our Franciscans of Mary priests,
you can contact our Parish Secretary. Thank you for your generosity!

