

Good Shepherd Catholic Church



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MISSION STATEMENT

The Catholic Community of Good Shepherd strives to live Christ's word daily by our commitment to worship, stewardship, faith formation, Catholic schools, family, and social outreach.

**31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 30, 2011**

"In you, Lord, I have found my peace."



Pastor
Rev. Zach Etienne

Other Clergy
Deacon Cy Will

School Principal
Mrs. Judy VanHoosier

Director of Worship
Mr. Mark Schmitz

Director of Youth Ministry
Mrs. Jonna O'Bryan

Parish Nurse
Mrs. Kristi Wahl

Administrative Assistants
Mrs. Pat Will
Mrs. Jean Dollison

Accountant/Business Manager
Mrs. Sarah Gahagen

Parish Council Members
Father Zach Etienne – 477-5405
Judy VanHoosier – 476-4477
Betty Betz – 602-5999
Tom Bacurin — 455-1194
Denise Lamberton — 867-5379
Eric Lively – 925-6258
Paula Logel – 476-8140
Tim McGuire – 867-0637
Jeff Mueller – 868-1074
Janet Naas – 475-9007
Chris Newkirk – 868-0797
Tonya Puckett – 490-1669
Tom Quick – 402-2452
Karen Robertson – 491-0312
Eric Schirmer – 204-9662
Ken Smith – 483-1496

MASS SCHEDULE: Saturday - 4:30 p.m.
Sunday – 7:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Home Communion Calls by Request
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MATRIMONY: Call the Parish Office
one year prior to the wedding.
Guidelines must be read before scheduling
a meeting with Father Zach.

BAPTISM: Contact Father Zach to
Arrange Baptism Preparation Classes/Baptism
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ANOINTING OF THE SICK:
Before surgery or anytime by request
Communal Anointing scheduled during the year
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RECONCILIATION: Thursday & Friday –
7:00 a.m. or by appt.



31st Sunday of Ordinary Time October 30, 2011

SATURDAY – Oct 29th

4:30 p.m. For the Parish

SUNDAY – Oct 30th

7:30 a.m. For the Parish

10:30 a.m. Mary Otte

TUESDAY – Nov 1st Holy Day of Obligation

7:40 a.m. Deceased Members of the Parish

6:00 p.m. Deceased Members of the Parish

WEDNESDAY – Nov 2nd

**11:30 a.m. For the Parish

THURSDAY – Nov 3rd

7:40 a.m. Genevieve Lloyd

FRIDAY – Nov 4th

7:40 a.m. For the Parish

SATURDAY – Nov 5th

4:30 p.m. For the Parish

SUNDAY – Nov 6th

7:30 a.m. Sr. Geraldine

10:30 a.m. Reggie Schitter

STEWARDSHIP from October 22/23, 2011

Budget	\$16,430.00
Weekly Collection.....	\$11,778.50
Electronic Fund Transfer	\$275.00
Envelopes/Cash	\$11,503.50
Youth collection	\$8.50

Total families that gave - 197

“Year to date” variance (\$11,034.67)

Mass Attendance for October 22/23

4:30 p.m. (315) 7:30 a.m. (204) 10:30 a.m. (413)

Total Mass attendance – 932

41% of parishioners attended Mass at Good Shepherd

Total number of parish families – 765

Total number of parishioners – 2256

AUTOMATIC WITHDRAWALS

Why not set up your weekly/monthly tithing and your building fund payments to be automatically withdrawn from your checking/savings account? It's a simple procedure and will keep you from writing a check, putting it in the envelope and then forgetting to put it in the collection box or having to drop it off at the parish office if you're out of town or happen to attend a different church one weekend. It can simply be set up to be taken out weekly, semi-monthly or monthly. Please stop by the parish office to pick up forms or call the parish office at 477-5405 for additional information.



WELCOME TO OUR GOOD SHEPHERD CATHOLIC FAMILY...

Jovy & Berna Flores and family
Megan Myers

Week of October 30-November 6

SUNDAY – October 30

Why Catholic? - 8:30 a.m. (Nursery)

RCIA - Dismissed during 7:30 a.m. Mass

Religious Education - 9:15-10:15 a.m.

K of C Donuts & Coffee- after 10:30 a.m. Mass

BINGO - Crew 2 (Al Bragin's crew)

MONDAY

Zumba exercise (all levels) - CANCELLED due to Halloween

TUESDAY-ALL SAINTS DAY

Quilting - 8:00 a.m. (Nursery)

School Mass for All Saints Day - 7:40 a.m.

Bingo - Crew B (Jeff Pate's crew)

WEDNESDAY

Exercise (all levels) - 8:30 a.m. (Parish Hall)

Over 50's - 10:45 a.m. Blood Pressure checks

Mass- 11:30 a.m.

Luncheon- 12:00 p.m. (Parish Hall)

Zumba/Zumba Gold - (all levels/modified) 5:30 p.m. (Parish Hall)

New Mass Session - 6:30-7:30 p.m. (Church)

School Board - 6:00 p.m. (Room 100)

Adult Choir Practice - 7:00 p.m.

THURSDAY

Scrapbooking/crafting - 8:00 a.m. (Nursery)

Why Catholic? - 7:00 p.m. (Conf. Room)

FRIDAY

Why Catholic? - 1:30 p.m. (Nursery)

Next SUNDAY – November 6

Why Catholic? - 8:30 a.m. (Nursery)

RCIA - Dismissed during 7:30 a.m. Mass

Religious Education - 9:15-10:15 a.m.

Confirmation Students meet with the Bishop- 9:00 a.m. (Cafeteria)

Confirmation Mass with the Bishop- 10:30 a.m.

Confirmation Reception following Mass (Parish Hall)

BINGO

Boy Scout Breakfast moved to November 13th

NEW MASS TRANSLATIONS

Parishioners have been asking as to when training on the New Mass will be taking place. Below is the listing of all the sessions scheduled, all to be held in the church:

- Wednesday, Nov. 2, 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
- Saturday, Nov. 12, after the 4:30 p.m. Mass
- Sunday, Nov. 13, after both the 7:30 and 10:30 Masses
- Tuesday, Nov. 15, 6:15 - 7:15 p.m.

A book and CD will be given to each family who attend the sessions. Books and CDs will be available for those not attending a session the weekend of Nov. 19/20.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY TO OUR GOLDEN COUPLES

(Married 50+ Years in October)

Oct 11 - 53 years - James and JoAnn Alexander

Oct 20 - 55 years - Bob and Judy Brown

Oct 22 - 64 years - James and Ruth Fox

Oct 22 - 51 years - Gary and Joan Keene

Oct 23 - 57 years - Donald and Jane Austin

Oct 31 - 52 years - Ron and Jean Titzer

**computer error last week...the years were miscalculated, my apologies and congratulations to all!!



Please remember to pray for our elderly and homebound!!

HEALTH MINISTRY: EXERCISE CLASSES

Come join in the fun and get fit at the same time. The Health Ministry Team has arranged the following exercise classes:

- Mondays 6:30 p.m. Zumba (Cafeteria)
- Wednesdays 8:30 a.m. Personal Fitness (Parish Hall)
- Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. Zumba/Zumba Gold (Parish Hall)



No registration needed; just show up wearing appropriate exercise clothes, shoes and bring a water bottle. A free will offering of \$3-5 will be taken at each class. Call the parish office for details.

OVER 50'S

OVER 50's is scheduled for Wednesday, Nov. 2. The menu consists of turkey, dressing, chicken & dumplings. Everybody is asked to bring a side dish and/or dessert. There are sign up sheets on the table in the narthex.

BIG THANKS

Good Shepherd Catholic Church would like to thank the Knights of Columbus for their generous donation to the building fund.



SYMPATHY and PRAYERS

to the family of
CLARA SUE HERTEL
May God grant her eternal peace.



VETERAN'S DAY - NOVEMBER 9

Good Shepherd Catholic School will be celebrating Veteran's Day on Wednesday, Nov. 9 with an all school Mass at 7:40 a.m. Veterans of the parish/school families are invited to attend. There will be reserved seating in the church. A reception for veterans and spouses will follow in the Parish Hall. Please RSVP to the school office at 476-4477 so we can plan the amount of refreshments. Forms are available in the Narthex and can be turned into the office!!



REMINDER

Forms to pre-order your pretzels & cheese balls are available on the Youth Ministry website. The orders are due by Nov. 1 so please don't forget! They will be available to pick up on Nov. 12/13 after Masses just in time for Thanksgiving gatherings. Youth Ministry will be making the pretzels and cheese balls on Nov. 12 at 9:00 a.m. in the cafeteria. Come one, come all to help with this major fundraiser.

VENDOR OPPURTUNITIES

St. John on Bellemeade Avenue is planning a Christmas Extravaganza bazaar on Saturday, Nov. 19 to benefit their youth program. They are looking for additional vendors. The cost of a booth is \$25, which includes 1 table and 2 chairs. Please call Nancy at 424-9261 if you are interested in participating.

DIOCESAN YOUTH PROTECTION POLICY

Every allegation of child abuse must be reported to the Child Protective Services, an agency of the Indiana State government. Any person who has "reason to believe" must report. In the event of an allegation of sexual abuse of a minor (person under age 18) by diocesan personnel, report the allegation to the authorities and inform the Victims Assistance Coordinator for the diocese - toll free (866) 200-3004 or local (812) 490-9565.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oct 30 - Preston Church, Zachary Curry, Sally Dominick, Richard Gonterman, Sydney Ulrich, Paula Yarbrough

Oct 31 - Taylor Chambers, Cecelia Crane, Bridget Cron, Todd Mazzier, Rosalie Woodall

Nov 1 - Anna Hart, Eric Lively, Roy McWilliams, Katherine Morgan, Lois Schenk, Dalton Temme

Nov 2 - Lindsey Daily, Jason Kellams, Sara Logel, Pam Mosbey, Louanna Schalasky

Nov 3 - Theresa Blanke, Devin Dillon, Jim Jerls, Madison Rickabaugh, Mason Rickabaugh, Carl Underwood, Dan Wiener

Nov 4 - Maeson Damin, Jamie Hermann, Elissa Higgins, Anita Kissel, Payton Roberts, Elinor Schnautz

Nov 5 - Louie Durchholz, Rhonda Hebbeler, Angie Ulrich



2011 MEMORIAL OPEN HOUSE

The 2011 Open House for Reitz Memorial High School is scheduled for Wed. Nov. 2 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. The Open House is for any student in the fifth through eighth grades along with their parents. This is a great opportunity to visit Memorial High School and have your questions answered. Departmental displays will be featured and teachers from each department will be available for questions and information. Information about financial assistance will also be available.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION FOUNDATION TUITION ASSISTANCE

Over \$270,000 in Catholic Education Foundation tuition grants were awarded to Reitz Memorial families for the 2011-2012 school year. The 2012-2013 school year application will be available by Nov. 1, 2011. Parents may download, type and print the CEF application from the Reitz Memorial High School website. Go to www.reitzmemorial.org; select "Admissions", then "Tuition Assistance".

Completed applications may be sent electronically to cef@evdio.org or sent by U.S. Mail or delivered personally to the CEF office. This year the priority deadline for applications will be Dec. 15, 2011. Please note that this deadline will be earlier than in previous years. Applications must include estimated 2011 income and financial information. By March 15, 2012, send tax returns and W-2s electronically or in hard copy to verify estimated 2011 information. CEF applications will be available at parishes and schools by Nov. 1, 2011. For more information, please contact the CEF office at 402-6700, ext. 302, or cef@evdio.org

TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST RETREAT NEXT WEEKEND



TEC #78 is Nov. 5-7, 2011 at St. Mary's in Ireland. Currently we have openings for youth and a waiting list for adult observers. Please turn in your applications ASAP if you are wanting to attend. Even if a you want to make a TEC retreat weekend next summer, you can send in your application now. The next retreat weekends are Feb. 18-20, 2012 and July 28-30, 2012. Applications can be found at www.switec.org. You can also find the list of team and TECites and adult observers on this website. If you have any questions, you can email: tec@evdio.org. You may also contact Fr. Zach or Jonna O'Bryan.