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Most Rev. William F. Medley,

Diocese of Owensboro

May 12, 2019

Happy Mother's Day

World Day of Prayer
for Vocations



4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

"My sheep hear my voice; I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never perish." - Jn 10:27-28b

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Mission Statement

The Catholic Community of St. Stephen Cathedral serves as the Mother Church for the Diocese of Owensboro to welcome, evangelize, and worship in the name of Jesus Christ.

MASS SCHEDULE:

Saint Stephen Cathedral

Monday-Friday: 7:00AM and 12:05PM

Saturday: 9:00AM and 5:00PM

Sunday: 7:00AM 9:00AM and 11:00AM

Holy Days: 7:00AM and 12NOON

Blessed Sacrament Chapel (602 Sycamore St)

Sunday: 10:00AM (Holy Days: 6:00PM)

Membership in Parish:

We give a hearty welcome to all new families moving into our parish. Please register in the Office as soon as possible. Those who plan to move from our parish community are requested to inform us.

Bulletin Material Deadline:

Friday, 8:00AM, in writing, ten days in advance of publication. Deadline firm. Earlier deadline applies when holidays occur.

SACRAMENTS:

Baptism:

Baptisms are usually celebrated during one of the regularly scheduled Masses. Parents are encouraged to call the parish office before the birth of their child to make an appointment for instructions.

Marriage:

Couples wishing to share their lives with one another in sacramental Marriage are asked to call the Office for an appointment with one of the priests. We suggest the first appointment must be scheduled nine (9) months before the proposed date of marriage.

Reconciliation:

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated communally two times a year, during Advent and Lent. Other opportunities for reconciliation are Saturdays from 9:30-11:30AM and 4:30-5:30PM on the Thursday before First Friday, and by appointment.

STEWARDS for the WEEK OF MAY 18/19, 2019
FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER

5:00PM VIGIL MASS

SACRISTAN: Sister Monica Seaton

Altar Servers: Lily Moore, Henry Moore, Emma Moore

Lectors: Janice Scherm, Garry Pierce

Minister of the Host: Denise Payne, *OPEN*, Sr. Monica Seaton

Minister of the Cup: Gene Lyon, Larry Lyon,

Kathryn Warren, Scott Warren

Minister of Hospitality: Gail Douglas, *OPEN*, 2 needed,

Cheryl Hayden, Douglas Hayden, Janice Walker

7:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: TBD

Altar Servers: Meghan Kyle

Lectors: Eddy McFarland, Glenn Thompson

Minister of the Host: Rita Roberson

Minister of the Cup: LaWanna Brand, Dennis Weaver

Minister of Hospitality: Norma Axley, Logan Lanham,
Thomas Smiley, Terry WilkersonIn Joy and Hope, *Fr. Jerry*

II. Evening Prayer, also called Vespers, is part of the Liturgy of the Hours, also known as the Divine Office. In the Liturgy of the Hours, the Church fulfills Jesus' command to "pray always" (Luke 18:1; cf also 1 Thessalonians 5:17). Through this prayer, the people of God sanctify the day by continual praise of God and prayers of intercession for the needs of the world. Lay people are encouraged to pray the Liturgy of the Hours, especially Morning and Evening Prayer. Evening prayer gives thanks for the day just past and makes an evening sacrifice of praise to God (see Psalm 141:1). At Saint Stephen Cathedral we invite you to pray Evening Prayer every Tuesday and Thursday at 5:30pm in church. ***Please use the ramp door by the organ to enter.***

III. Ministry of Praise: This ministry is intended for those who are no longer able to be as involved as they would like due to the challenges of aging or declining health. Of course, each of us is called to pray for our parish and its vitality; praying for the needs and sharing in the joys of the living Body of Christ is the role of the entire faith community, but some of us have more time than others. Volunteer "prayers" join a "chorus of people who are praying for their parish across the U.S.A. and around the world." You will be commissioned by the parish priest, receive an olive wood cross and a prayer book, then spend time in regular prayer for a variety of intentions.

9:00AM MASS

SACRISTAN: Elaine Thomas

Altar Servers: Noah Knoop, Max Knoop, Nicholas Clemens

Lectors: Steve Carrico, *OPEN*

Minister of the Host: Rita Gerteisen, Christian Leigh,

Jill Leigh

Minister of the Cup: Donna Murphy, Kelsey Rhodes,

John Wright, Isabelle Wright,

Minister of Hospitality: Connor Calhoun, *OPEN*, 3 needed
volunteer now, Glenn Calhoun, Matt Steele**11:00AM MASS**SACRISTAN: *OPEN*, volunteer now

Altar Servers: Michael Calhoun, Jack Calhoun, Katie Calhoun

Lectors: Theresa Edelen, Margaret Windle

Minister of the Host: John Calhoun, Robin Tomes,

Tanja Wells-Walker

Minister of the Cup: Amy Payne, Danny Payne,

Rose Ann Payne, Tom Payne

Minister of Hospitality: Shanna Ballard, Andy Edelen,

Noah Edelen, Jim Ivey, Bob Stone, Rhonda Troutman

I. Call Your Mother! Honoring the mother of your family, as well as motherhood, maternal bonds, and the influence of mothers in society cannot be crammed into one day. No physical item can repay your mother for all the love she's sent your way, but Mother's Day is still a good time to give Mom some token of your affection. Flowers, chocolates, dinner, gifts, and cards are all fine, but perhaps the best gift is some of your valuable time—the presence of yourself. We will pray for our living and deceased mothers, grandmothers, foster mothers, godmothers and those who have been like mothers to us at all our Masses this weekend.

IV. UNBOUND: I have extended an invitation to Fr. Frank Ruff, Glenmary, to visit the Cathedral on the weekend of May 18/19, 2019. Fr. Ruff will speak to you about the work being done by "Unbound" and how this provides a trustworthy way to actively participate in the Social Outreach of the Catholic Church and answer the Gospel call to serve the poor. Founded by lay Catholics, *Unbound* is an organization that has served more than 600,000 children, youth and elderly in 18 developing countries since 1981, empowering them to make more choices in their lives, live with dignity and reach their potential.

Unbound's unique sponsorship is highly personalized. It matches a child, youth or aging person at a project overseas with a sponsor in the U.S. who cares about and encourages that person. With a monthly contribution, a sponsor helps to provide much needed nourishing food, medical and dental care, the chance for a child to go to school, livelihood programs for families and much more. Please join me in welcoming Fr. Frank!

V. We Honor Saint Isidore the Farmer (c. 1080-1130), not Saint Isidore of Seville, the Doctor of the Church whose memorial falls on April 4th. Isidore the Farmer was born in Madrid to poor parents who sent him to work for landowner. He was very devout and married a like-minded woman, Maria, who also became a saint. Isidore attended daily Mass and was often late arriving at the fields, but he managed to get his work done nonetheless. He shared the little he had with the poor. He is the patron saint of farmers and a model of faith for all of us. You are invited to celebrate the Feast of Saint Isidore this Wednesday, May 15th. Mass is celebrated at 7am and 12:05pm.

Please Pray for all the Sick†

Harry Baumgarten
Peggy Bellew
Larry Bishop
Jeremy Brown
D. J. Clark
Richard/Mary Ann Clouse
Ruth Ann Cureton
Virginia Curry
Vickie Davis
Wilma Fenwick
Jean Fulkerson
Richard Gruenewald
Bernard/Mary Hagan

Sharlene Hatfield
Carroll Howard
Barbara Huff
Colene Jennings
Frank/Teresa Jones
Josanna Lamastus
Bob Lanham
Wilma/James McManaway
JoAnn Moore
Gerald Nalley
Lucy Neal
Eddie O'Bryan
Joyce Payne

Wanda Payne
Dorothy Reynolds
Joseph Rhodes
Rita Roberson
Iona Simon
Louise Thompson
Bill Walker
Joan Wells
Margaret Whittinghill
Robert Wiekel
Carrie Wieder
Vincent Wink

Sick Friends/Relatives

Phyllis Bittel, sister of Nadine Higdon; Beverly Cecil, daughter of Wilma Fenwick; Austin Drury, grandson of LaWanna Brand; Ellis Edge, brother of Joan Wells; Jerry and Tom Hagan, brothers of Sharlene Hatfield; Liz Hawkins, sister of Kathleen (Todd) Johnson; Shirley Kelley, Mother of Karen Tomes; Charlotte Landers, mother of Russell Vaughn; John and Sue Mudd, brother-in-law and sister of Sharlene Hatfield; Debbie O'Bryan, niece of Jackie Mattingly; Richard Ray, son of Theresa Ray, Mary Ann Schilling, friend of Linda Beckman; Gordon Tomes, Brother of Randy Tomes; Ann Vaughan, mother of Fr. John Vaughan.

Names in bold are those currently in the hospital or have had surgery recently. Names will be ROTATED off these lists every SIX WEEKS unless a parishioner calls and extends the prayer request.

PRAY FOR OUR PARISHIONERS IN NURSING HOMES

Carmel Home—Juanita Clark, Mary C. Kelley, Beverly Emmick, Agatha Lindemann, Helen Miles, Margie Hill, Bertha Horrell, Sister Catherine Shoenborn, Rose Bender, Margie Howard, Regina Lewis. **Owensboro Center**—Margaret (Rosie) Whittinghill. **Bishop Soenecker**—Robert Danhauer, Freddie Payne, Betty Wimsatt. **Heritage Place**—Jackie Abshier. **Hermitage Manor**—Mary Ann Calhoun, Mary Jo Schadler, Ann Keelin. **Hillcrest**—George Collignon, Hallie Lott, Wilma McManaway, Bill Walker. **One Park Place**—Kay Meisenholder, Wanda Payne, Francoise Grant. **Twin Rivers**—Bruce Bennett, Elizabeth Finch. **Fern Terrace**—Sarah Welborn, Gary Ashworth, **Wellington Park**—Maury Schaefer, Sr.

PRAYING FOR THE DECEASED

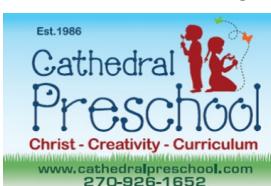
Please pray for those who have recently died, especially **James Morton "Mort" Murphy, uncle of Deacon Richard (Donna) Murphy and Susan (Don) Howard.**

Please remember to pray for those who are dying.
(Please call the office when there is a death in your family.)

"I have made you a light to the Gentiles, that you may be an instrument of salvation to the ends of the earth." — Acts 13:47b

Great News!

The Cathedral Preschool now offers AFTER SCHOOL CARE for the students. This program will begin this Fall 2019 for children registered for preschool. Hours will be from 11:00 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. Monday thru Friday when school is in session. Please call (270) 926-1652 for details. Also, preschool registration for 3, 4 and 5-year old is ongoing. Come check us out!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR PARISH MEMBERS

Parish Birthdays from May 12-18

Lewis Breeden, Michael Calhoun, Sheila Calhoun, Chona Curry, Michael Hagan, Duane Harper, Stephen Hyland, Mary Evelyn Knoop, Josanna Lamastus, Victoria Lewis, Margaret O'Bryan Mills, Joe Moorman, Adney Rakotonaina, Cheri Roach, Mark Sims, Mary Catherine Spears, Abram Stanisia, Frank Wathen, Kathy West

THIS WEEK'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

We are pleased to wish those couples celebrating their Wedding Anniversary a very happy and blessed day.

May 14—Steven and Haley Roby, 3 years
May 15—Jimmy and Audrey Bowlds, 26 years
May 16—Doug and Kathleen Lanz, 27 years
May 16—Larry and Darylin Bishop, 49 years
May 16—Chris and Melanie Stanisia, 4 years
May 16—Rick and Freda Rhodes, 49 years
May 17—Ed and Betty Wedding, 50 years
May 18—Eddy and Lorraine McFarland, 34 years
May 18—King and Doreen Harney, 45 years
May 18—Michael and Mary Wade, 47 years

Cathedral Preschool is now accepting applications for a Lead Teacher of our three-year-old classes beginning in August 2019. Looking for someone with Early Childhood education or experience. Call the preschool office at (270)926-1652 or email pam.weafer@pastoral.org for more details. We are a Kentucky Five Star School.

World Day of Prayer for Vocations

Today, Good Shepherd Sunday, is the 56th anniversary of the World Day of Prayer for Vocations, which was instituted by Pope Paul VI during the Second Vatican Council. The entire Church, including lay people, is charged with the work of fostering priestly and religious vocations. Please pray that young people, especially those from our parish, will be open to God's call in their lives!

Prayer for Vocations

to Priesthood and Consecrated Life

God our Father, we thank you for calling men and women from the Diocese of Owensboro to serve in your Son's kingdom as priests, deacons, and religious.

We pray that you continue to inspire young men and women to respond courageously to your call and give themselves generously to the Church in service of the Gospel.

Pour out your Holy Spirit upon our parishes, schools, and families and assist us in building a culture of vocations in which many will hear your call to serve you people.

Help us to remain faithful to the call of the Gospel as we support and encourage vocations of sacrificial love in our youth.

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Christian Initiation-RCIA

We continue our prayers for our newly initiated members, the neophytes, as they grow in their understanding of the Mysteries of Faith. Please keep **Sarah Mills, Isaac Lambert, Laura and Layne Rummage, and Jakob Wellman** in prayer.

Perhaps you know someone who has expressed interest in your Catholic faith. Invite them to come and learn more about Catholicism. There is an open-door to all who are casually curious, seriously seeking or firmly committed to becoming Catholic. Now is an excellent time to inquire.

Our RCIA process is a year-round experience. It does not have a beginning or ending date, like a school year calendar. RCIA meets on Wednesday evenings at 6:00 p.m. in the parish Media Center. Come share your faith and explore Catholicism with us! For more information, contact Donna Murphy, 270/683-6525, or donna.murphy@pastoral.org.

**Vacation Bible School****June 17-20, 2019**

VBS SAVE THE DATE & REGISTRATION: 6:00-8:15 PM. We are taking a step back in history to walk with Bible Characters! This VBS is an immersion into Scripture, where we will have first-hand encounters with Adam, Eve, Noah, and Nimrod. Don't know who each of those are? Come join us to hear their stories; and see how God has worked through time to always taken care of his people! Each night will consist of games, crafts, songs, and more! Dinner will be provided each night as well.

Registration Forms can be found at any of the doors of the church. You can turn these in by turning them directly to the parish office, mail, or dropping it in the collection basket at Mass! Registration forms can also be found online at <https://ststephencathedral.org/>

VBS Volunteer Meeting & Training: VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED to make this week a success! Mark your calendars, May 28th, at 6:30PM, in the Community Center. If you are willing to volunteer to take on a role, please contact Crissy in the office ASAP! There is a variety of roles and opportunities to share your gifts! The relationships and memories that are made really do impact lives. Please, prayerfully consider being a part of this great week!

VBS Supplies & Volunteers Needed: Details for VBS are underway!

Supplies needed right now: material or flat sheets/curtains – variety of colors. These will be used to make Bible Times Costumes and part of our Marketplace Tents

Volunteers Needed: who can sew (to make simple tunics for costumes)

MOTHER BLEST

Though she was the Mother of the Lord, yet she desired to learn the precepts of the Lord, and she who brought forth God, yet desired to know God.

—St. Ambrose



Today's Gospel from John offers messages of assurance and comfort. Jesus knows us, and no one can take us out of His hand. Consider the words "I know them, and they follow me." Do you believe you know and follow Jesus? We can make time in daily prayer to bring Him all we have—our sorrows, joys, challenges, needs, and gratitude for the blessings we receive. In these moments of prayer we can listen to hear the voice of Jesus.

In the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops pastoral letter *Stewardship: A Disciple's Response*, a Christian steward is described as a Christ follower who:

- ◆ Receives God's gifts gratefully
- ◆ Cherishes and tends them in a responsible manner
- ◆ Shares them in justice and love with all
- ◆ Returns them with increase to the Lord

Jesus knows each and every one of us, just as a shepherd knows his sheep. Do we pray to hear His voice? Do we follow Him?

*Donna Tarantino
Director of Ministries & Volunteers*



Are you sharing your gifts and talents in parish ministry? Your participation is vital to the success of our many liturgical and non-liturgical ministries. There are opportunities for just about everyone. If you need help discerning the right ministries for you, contact Donna at the Parish Office at donna.tarantino@pastoral.org or 270-683-6525. Here are just a *few* of the many opportunities available:

- ◆ Vacation Bible School volunteers (June 17-20, 6:00 pm to 8:15 pm).
- ◆ Children's Liturgy of the Word adult leaders (must be Safe Environment Certified)
- ◆ St. Vincent de Paul (volunteers assist those in need on Mon., Tues., Thurs., and Fri. mornings in the Parish Office.) Volunteers are also needed for data entry in the afternoons.

PRAYING. GIVING. SERVING.



MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

7:00AM

- Mon** Frank/Angela Hayden †† Mary Houle †
Tues Rose Hagan † Andrew Howard †
Wed Bill Mattingly III † David Tooley †
Thu John Calhoun, Sr. † Martin Bresler †
Fri Mary Ellen Hagan George Clayton Haggard †

12:05PM**Sat 9:00AM** Hubert McFarland †**Sunday, May 17**

- Sat 5:00PM** Edwin Gard †
Sun 7:00AM The People of St. Stephen
9:00AM Frances Osborne †
11:00AM Dr. Joe Danzer and Family

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday: Acts 1:15-17, 20-26; Ps 113:1-8; Jn 15:9-17
Wednesday: Acts 12:24 — 13:5a; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8;
Jn 12:44-50
Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27;
Jn 13:16-20
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
Sunday: Acts 14:21-27; Ps 145:8-13; Rv 21:1-5a;
Jn 13:31-33a, 34-35

WHEN YOU ARE ASKED... WHY CATHOLIC SCHOOLS?

All the local, state and national data point to higher test scores in the Catholic School System. This is true in every grade level and becomes even more distinguished at older grade levels. That's true from the MAP testing at grade school levels to the ACT scores in high school. There's even more recent data that also indicates that Catholic School children make better employees, have better attitudes in the work place, and are more engaged with their families. We have good public schools. But there is something very powerful about a school system that is wrapped in daily prayer that adds weekly activities that revolve around establishing a child's self-worth and importance to God and the world, but in a way that reflects joy and fun. You have a powerful impact on a life when you can connect the tenets of faith to daily choices. Catholic Schools also provide a measure of insulation for children that attempts to preserve their innocence longer. We still employ humans and make mistakes, but it's this holistic approach to a child's humanity and soul that distinguishes our efforts. Enrollment is open at OCS!

MOTHERHOOD

Mothers hold their children's hands for a short while, but their hearts forever.

—Anonymous

Easter Season

**SUNDAY, May 12—FOURTH SUNDAY of EASTER****HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY**

Masses at 7:00AM, 9:00AM 11:00AM; Pss IV

CHILD CARE, 9:00AM, Preschool Building

Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:00AM

NO Youth Gathering**MONDAY, May 13—Easter Weekday***Our Lady of Fatima*

Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV

Rosary, 7:30AM

Donato's Fundraiser for the Youth Ministry, all day, Donato's on Parrish Ave.

YOUTH ADULT Holy Hour, Sts. Joseph & Paul Church, 6:00PM

TUESDAY, May 14—SAINT MATTHIAS, APOSTLE

Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM

Rosary, 7:30AM

Fern Terrace Communion Service, 10:00AM

Vespers, 5:30PM Church

WEDNESDAY, May 15—Easter Weekday*Saint Isidore (the Farmer)*

Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV

Rosary, 7:30AM

Choir Practice, 6:00PM, Church

RCIA, 6:00PM, Media Center

THURSDAY, May 16—Easter Weekday

Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV

Rosary, 7:30AM

Sunday Scripture Sharing, Class Room, 10:30AM

Vespers, 5:30PM, Church

TOUR GROUP, 6:00PM, Church

FRIDAY, May 17—Easter Weekday

Daily Mass at 7:00AM and 12:05PM; Pss IV

Rosary, 7:30AM

Curtis/Mitchell Wedding Rehearsal, 5:00PM, Church

SATURDAY, May 18—Easter Weekday*Saint John I, Pope, Martyr***CONFIRMATION RETREAT DAY, 8:00AM, outside parish**

Rosary, 8:30AM, Church; Pss IV

Daily Mass at 9:00AM;

Confessions, 9:30-11:30AM, Church

Curtis/Mitchell Wedding, 3:00PM, Church

Evening Mass (Vigil) for Sunday, Church, 5:00PM, Pss I**SUNDAY, May 19—FIFTH SUNDAY of EASTER**

Masses at 7:00AM, 9:00AM 11:00AM; Pss I

CHILD CARE, 9:00AM, Preschool Building

Children's Liturgy of the Word, 9:00AM

NO Youth Gathering (Youth will be gathering at different times and various locations during the summer. Stay tuned to the Youth Column. Enjoy your school break!)

Financial Update: May 4/5

Weekly & Month-to-Date Collections: \$21,097.89

Weekly & Month-to-Date Budget: \$20,385.00

Weekly & Month-to-Date +/-: \$712.89

Year-to-Date Collections: \$929,960.16**Year-to-Date Budget: \$917,325****Year-to-Date +/-: \$12,635.16**

Sacraments

Sacrament of Baptism Preparation

Baptism Preparations sessions are offered once a month to prepare parents for this memorable and sacred Sacrament. Completion of the two-hour session is required before the Baptism is scheduled, even if this is not your first child. First-time parents are encouraged to attend Baptism Prep before your child's arrival; your example of faith begins the moment the child is born. The next Baptism Preparation session is on Monday, May 20 at 6:00 PM in the Media Center. Please contact Crissy at the Parish Office to reserve your spot for the May session.



Confirmation

Our Confirmation Retreat is Saturday, May 18. All Confirmandi are expected to attend. We will meet in the Saint Stephen Parking Lot to leave at 9 AM. We will return by 4:30 in order to attend Mass. Parent or Sponsor Volunteers are needed to help transport and be of support during the retreat. If you can help, please contact Crissy ASAP.

Forming Good Disciples

"The Father and I are one."

After comparing his disciples to sheep who know the voice of their shepherd and saying that they know his voice and he knows them, Jesus assures those who follow Him that they will have eternal life. He then adds that "The Father and I are one." Today's passage can only be understood when read in the context of the whole of Chapter 10 of John's Gospel. Jesus uses many images of the care and concern of the shepherd for the sheep, and the total dependence of the sheep on their shepherd. They were images the disciples were very familiar with because herds of sheep with their shepherds were everywhere. In fact, they are still very common in the Holy Land today. But the message of Jesus in Chapter 10 of St. John's Gospel is: If you believe in me, if you do as I do and imitate my care and concern and love for you, by loving one another, then my Spirit is in you. If my Spirit is in you, then you and I are one, just as the Father and I are one. Is not union with God, Father, Son and Spirit, what we are all seeking?

Volunteers Needed

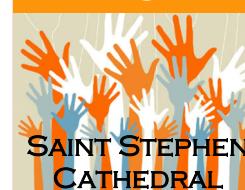
Baptism Weekend Team

Baptism is a very special moment for families. We are looking to form a team for Baptism Weekends here at Saint Stephen. Responsibilities include arriving early to set-up, greet and assist Baptism families prior to/during Mass, and make sure everything is put away after Mass from the Baptism. If you would be willing to be a part of this team, please contact Crissy Stevenson in the parish office. *Volunteers will serve on a rotating basis.*



*Active participation—being a full, conscious, and active partner at the Liturgy makes a difference!
Respond! Sing! Be attentive!*

YOUTH MINISTRY



SAINT STEPHEN CATHEDRAL

This Sunday is Mother's Day:
Stay home with your family and celebrate your MOM! Do something extra for her and be sure to say, "Thank you!"

National Catholic Youth Conference: The National Catholic Youth Conference is November 21-23 in Indianapolis for High School Students to gather with over 23,000 others from across the country. This year's theme is "Blessed, Broken, Given." The cost per person for this conference is \$490 (we have fundraising plans in the works!). If you are interested in participating, please contact Crissy by May 31st for details on the trip and cost/fundraising information.

Church Etiquette



BEFORE AND AFTER MASS:

- *Arrive early and leave AFTER the last song.
- *Park in designated spaces.
- *Be hospitable to everyone, in the church building and in the parking lot.
- *Reach out a helpful hand to our challenged worshipers.
- *Turn off all electronic devices (cell phones, tablets, etc.)
- *Clean up your Church. Pick up tissues, paper, or crayons, and place them in proper receptacles. Help others as well. This is a place of worship and prayerfulness. Let's make it so in all our words and deeds.
- ***Thanks,** parents, for supervising and keeping a watchful eye on your child(ren) in the Community Center during coffee and donuts and other gatherings outside of Mass.

DURING MASS:

- *Bring only soft (noiseless) toys. **No food or gum, please.**
- *Parents, please encourage your child(ren) to take care of bodily needs before or after Mass, thus cutting down on the traffic flow during the Liturgy.
- *Use your "church voice" before, during and after Mass. To allow others to pray in silence, please save loud conversations for outside the worship space.
- *In a spirit of hospitality, please fill the church from front to back, from the center of the pews to the aisles.
- *To avoid distractions during Mass, ushers have been instructed to seat late-comers while the assembly is standing (**Be on time! Arrive early!**)
- *During Mass, please keep a spirit of reverence; be as attentive as possible, even if you are in the vestibule.
- ***Be aware** that fellow parishioners have come to Mass to encounter Christ—participation at Mass deepens and enriches this encounter leading up to the Eucharist.
- Our lack of participation demeans and diminishes our central act of worship.***

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