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(814) 894-2772 (ABVM) and
request a registration form .

St. Mary and Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Parishes

October 17, 2021 - 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time



ABVM Annual Turkey Dinner
Sunday, October 24, 2021
11:30am—2:00pm
Or until sold out.

St. Mary's Turkey Dinner
Tuesday, November 2, 2021
3:00-7:00pm

Dine in or Take out available at
both dinners.

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607 East Main Street
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Pastor – Father William R. Barron

Deacon Stephen D. Rowan

Shared contact information:

Web address: www.stmarysassumption.com

Parish app: search "myParish – Catholic" to download app

Fax number: 814-653-2769

Mass Intentions

Monday, October 18 –St. Marys	5:00pm
Delores Veitz By Mickey Rinaldi	
Tuesday, October 19—Assumption	5:00pm
John Webb Family By Maxine Nava Estate	
Wednesday, October 20 -Assumption	5:00pm
Marlene Bloom By Family	
Thursday, October 21—St. Marys	***8:00am
Anthony Joseph Torrell By his Family	
Friday, October 22	No Mass
Saturday, October 23- St. Marys	4:30pm
Karen Wells By St. Mary's Rosary & Altar Society	
Sunday, October 24- Assumption	8:30am
Mike Bonavita By Antoinette	
Sunday, October 24- St. Marys	10:30am
All Parishioners of both Parishes	

Sacrificial Giving

<u>Oct. 10</u>	<u>St. Mary</u>	<u>Assumption</u>
Collection	\$3,180.00	\$2,754.00
Electronic Giving	242.00	377.00

Thank you for your generosity!

CSA—Catholic Services Appeal

	<u>St. Mary</u>	<u>Assumption</u>
CSA Goal	\$20,301.00	\$19,312.00
CSA Paid	\$19,164.24	\$15,193.73
Thank you for your continued support.		

Sanctuary Candles

<u>In Memory of:</u>	
Mary Scolese	By: Toni & Larry
Katie Wall	By: Frank & Kathy
Special Intention	By: Toni

Ministers Schedule for October 23-24, 2021

	4:30pm (St. Mary)	8:30am (ABVM)	10:30am (St Mary)
Altar Server	M. King		
Eucharist Minister	B. Murray	Deacon Steve	C. Hannah
Lector	B. Stover	B. Sonnie	D. Bowley



Information

Prayer Chain

St Mary 653-2752
Assumption 661-3894

Anointing of the Sick :

Call Fr. Barron 814-503-0028

Parish Spotlight ~ St. Mary's Election Day Turkey Dinner

What better way to celebrate Election Day than with a turkey dinner! While you are out to vote make plans to stop and have dinner with us! Come join in a tradition that began over 40 years ago!

The Election Day turkey dinner fundraiser will be held at St. Mary's Parish on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, from 3:00pm to 7:00pm.

Much preparation goes into making our dinner a success. Planning and preparations start a month in advance of the dinner, and includes ordering the turkeys, side dishes and supplies. Then, volunteers help to cook and wrap the turkey, make the stuffing, and peel countless pounds of potatoes, not to mention chopping up the cabbage for coleslaw. Setting up the church hall is also a big job and over the years, many volunteers help set up the tables and chairs needed to serve those who come to partake of our dinner.

Once all the preparations are complete, the volunteers help to serve the dinner and drinks, as well as help with whatever else is needed, including clean-up at the end of the evening.

During the dinner, there is a Chinese auction, as well as our Rosary and Altar Society bake sale. Tickets for the Chinese auction baskets are sold at the dinner. We also have a takeout section for those who wish to enjoy turkey dinner in the comfort of their own home. This year 800 dinners are being prepared. It is a great team effort from ordering the food until the last clean-up is done. Please come out and help support our turkey dinner.

For over 20 years it's been our tradition that on the Sunday following the turkey dinner our church hosts a "Super Bingo," and individuals who are up for playing bingo may also buy tickets for our Chinese auction baskets. This year's Super Bingo will be held on Sunday, November 7th. Doors open at 12:00 noon and Bingo begins at 1:10pm with a guaranteed Jackpot of \$800. The kitchen will be open. The proceeds from our Super Bingo benefit our Religious Education program. Join us for an afternoon of bingo in support of our students.

Additionally, help is needed preparing the dinner, setting up for the dinner, cleaning up from the dinner, or maybe you could assist by baking something for the bake sale. Any help is very much appreciated.

Thanks to all of you for your continued support.

Mary Carlson

PARTNER PARISH NEWS

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY: The annual World Mission Sunday second collection will take place on the weekend of October 23/24. Pope Francis invites the entire Church to support mission dioceses in Africa, Asia, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe where priests, religious, and lay leaders serve the world's most vulnerable communities. Please keep the Pope's missions in your prayers and be generous in this collection for the Society of the Propagation of the Faith.

PASTORAL PLANNING COMMITTEE: Assumption, St. Bernard, St. Catherine, St. Mary's, and St. Michael Parishes have begun a pastoral planning committee. The committee is thinking about what we will do when the number of priests declines to the point where we will no longer have priests to serve the current number of parishes. The last meeting was on Wednesday, September 8th at St. Bernard's Parish, where the committee began to form its own vision and mission statements. The next meeting of the committee will be on Tuesday, October 19th at St. Catherine's Parish. I do not anticipate that any plan from this committee will be forthcoming before the end of 2021. Fr. Bill

NATIONAL CDA SUNDAY: The Catholic Daughters of the Americas will celebrate National CDA Day on Sunday Oct 17 at The Immaculate Conception Church in Brookville at the 10:30 am Mass. All members are encouraged to attend. Our regular monthly meeting will be on Monday Oct 18 at 6:30 pm at the St Marys Social Hall in Reynoldsville. If anyone is interested in learning more about the CDA please call Angela Deemer at 375 -0344 or attend our meeting.

ROSARY: The DuBois Knights of Columbus will be holding a public Rosary at Heindl Field on Sunday October 24 at 2:00 pm. The Rosary will be led by Deacon Dan Satterlee and the intention will be for pro-life, since October is Pro-Life Month, as well as your own private intentions. The Knights of Columbus 4th degree color guard will be on hand in full dress uniforms. Everyone is welcome and invited to attend. Please join us as we lift our minds and hearts in prayer to our God with the help of our Heavenly Mother.

CATHOLIC SERVICES APPEAL: Thank you to all who are supporting this year's Diocesan Services Appeal, the CSA. We are making good progress on receiving your pledge payments. Please note that if you made a pledge and intend to fulfill your pledge, you need to do so by the end of the calendar year 2021. Fr. Bill

VOCATIONS CROSS - Since 2018, we have been sending around to parish homes a Vocations Cross. This Cross comes with a binder that contains prayers to be said with the Cross. When the Cross becomes available at the beginning of every month, would you please consider taking it home with you? It is a small thing to ask, just some simple prayers that God may bless His church with more seminarians. Thanks for your consideration. Fr. Bill Barron

HOSPITAL VISITATION: The hospital has resumed the normal procedure for priests visiting patients. Fr. Matias has resumed his role as chaplain. Fr. Walk is no longer chaplain. Parish priests are now allowed to visit the hospital as well.

CONFESSIONS: Confessions will be available after all masses at both churches with the exception of Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass at Assumption because I need some travel time and set up time for 10:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's. Fr. Barron

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ONLINE GIVING: Visit our parish website on the homepage and click on your parish icon to take you to the portal for online giving registration, or press the icon on the myParishApp called giving to take you to the portal.
ST. MARY'S NEWS

WELCOME: Rosamund Ruth Lindemuth, daughter of Ian & Anna Lindemuth, who was initiated into her faith through Baptism last Sunday, October 10th here at St. Mary's church.

TRUNK OR TREAT will be held at the Methodist parking lot on Sunday, October 31st from 3-6 p.m. There are various ways you can participate: decorate your trunk and pass out candy, just come and pass out candy, bring a lawn chair and watch the excitement, or donate candy. For more information, call Kristen Benson at 814-590-4610.

***** CEMETERY CLEAN UP:** The final clean- up of the cemetery will be done by the Boy Scouts on October 23rd. If there is anything that you want saved, please remove it by October 22nd.

ANNUAL TURKEY DINNER will be held **one day only** on Tuesday, November 2nd, **both eat in social hall dining and take out** from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m. We need your help to continue to make it the success it has always been in the past! We will be having the **Bake Sale** and **Chinese Auction** so please consider baking and/or donating a basket! It takes many people to volunteer, so please plan ahead to help as much as you can! 800 dinners will be prepared. Sign- up sheets are on the table as you enter the church for the days and times needed for volunteers.

***CHINESE AUCTION:** As our Turkey Festival draws near, baskets for the Chinese Auction are needed. Please consider donating a basket of your choice and when ready, bring it to the church and place it on the long table in the back of the church. Baskets need to be here by October 31st.

ASSUMPTION'S NEWS

30TH ANNUAL TURKEY DINNER will be held on Sunday, October 24th from 11:30 – 2:00 p.m. in the Assumption Social Hall. Adults: \$10 – Children (Under 12) \$4. Take-outs available or Dine In. Handicapped Accessible. Menu: Turkey & Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Coleslaw, Pie & Beverages. Cash Prize Giveaway!

A LARGE CORNUCOPIA now rests in front of the altar of sacrifice beginning the weekend of October 1/2nd The Lord and his poor need our help! Please bring non-perishable food items to weekend Mass or drop item/ items off during the week in the Parishioners Aid Center. This Zacchaeus Outreach Program will conclude the weekend before Thanksgiving. Please be generous!

A.B.V.M. ROSARY SOCIETY would like to thank all those who donated item/items for the baskets, baked goods, and monetary gifts to the Bazaar this year. Also, thank you to all parishioners and friends who volunteered their time and talents to help out the day of the bazaar. **Congratulations to the winners of the Raffle:** Bissell Carpet Scrubber; Cindy London, Philips 32" T.V.; Tonya Cordwell; 24" Charcoal Grill; Kimberli Sonnie; Lenovo Laptop; Kathy Shaffer & Keruig; Debra Steiner. **50/50 Winner:** Mary Deters; **Lottery Winner:** Loree Danch. **Thank you** to all who came and supported the bazaar and made it a huge success! **Profit Made: \$4,285.00.**

PARISHIONERS who would like to donate Non-Perishable food items for the Cornucopia and don't attend the 8:30 a.m. Mass at Assumption may do so by dropping off your items anytime through the week in the Parishioners Aid Center. The church is opened from 8:00 – 1:00 p.m.,. Thank you for your support in the Outreach Program that our Parish