

ST. MARTIN OF TOURS CATHOLIC CHURCH
1709 EAST HARRISON ST.
MARTINSVILLE, IN 46151
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR A

Weekly Mass Schedule

Tuesday 6:00 pm
Wednesday-Friday 7:30 am
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:00 and 10:30am
Holy Days See Bulletin
1st Saturday of the month 8:00 am

Parish Office

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Knights of Columbus Grand Knight	Randy Cox
Ladies Faith Group	Chris Urbanowski
Parish Council President	Dave Garrison

Meetings:

Altar Society	1 st Thursday	6:00pm-Church
Ladies Faith Group	3 rd Tuesday	6:30 pm
Parish Council	3 rd Tuesday	7:00pm-Ed Center
Prayer Group	Every Wednesday	1:30pm-Church
Knights of Columbus	2 nd Wed.	7:00pm-Sexton Hall



Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturdays 4:00-4:30pm
Anytime by appointment; call the parish office

Sacrament of Baptism

Call the parish office for arrangements

Sacrament of Matrimony

Pre-marriage preparation is available for all registered members. Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance. Call parish office for arrangements.

Sick Calls

If you wish to receive the Sacraments at home due to infirmity or hospitalization, call the parish office.

Membership in the Parish

We welcome new members to our parish. Registration forms are available in the pamphlet racks at both entrances of the Church. Call the parish office to obtain information about the Catholic Faith.

If your email, address, or phone number has changed, please let us know.

St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church
Martinsville, Indiana
July 15 & 16, 2017
FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Masses and Services This Weekend

Sat.	7/15	4:00 pm	Confessions
		5:00 pm	Emil Boder
Sun.	7/16	8:00 am	People of the Parish
		10:30 am	John & Francis Fritch

Masses and Services

Tue	7/18	6:00 pm
Wed.	7/19	7:30 am
Thur.	7/20	7:30 am
Fri.	7/21	7:30 am
Sat.	7/22	4:00 pm
		5:00 pm
Sun.	7/23	8:00 am
		10:30 am

Intentions

Heidi Gatliff
Gloria Krauss
Peggy Keiffer
Charlie Manbeck
Confessions
Harlie Houk
John Zupancic
People of the Parish

Meetings and Events

Tue.	7/18	7:00 pm	Parish Council Mtg.
Wed.	7/19	1:30 pm	Prayer Group

Ministers for Next Weekend July 22 & 23

Extraordinary Ministers

5:00 pm	Tracy Carter / Volunteer
8:00 am	Catherine Marasch / Volunteer
10:30 am	Leroy Postel / Volunteer

Servers

5:00 pm	Erin & Emily Bennett
8:00 am	Morgan Marasch
10:30 am	Britton Siebert

Lectors

5:00 pm	Tracy Carter
8:00 am	Mitchel Marasch
10:30 am	Luke Goodin

Ushers

5:00pm	Jim Abel / Bill Callahan
8:00 am	Lou Feagans / Mick Pflum
10:30 am	Chris Sheets / Tom Kicinski

Stewardship	K. Cooper / M. Elsner / J. Davis / Staff
Saturday 4:30 pm	Sarah Sighting
Altar Linens Sun	Mary Speth

Vocations Prayer Box Ryan & Veronica Thatcher Family

Stewardship Report

Regular Sunday	July 1 & 2	\$5,792.70
	July 8 & 9	\$4079.56
Peters Pence		\$1,434.10
Online giving for June		\$2,026.00

Kroger Rewards

Kroger Community Rewards Program offers a very easy, completely cost-free way to give back to St. Martin's Parish, each time you use your Kroger plus card; a percentage of what you spend will be credited to St. Martin's Community Rewards account.

If you would like to register your card, please follow the steps below Thank you!

- Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com
- Click on Sign In/Register
- Follow steps to register
- Enter **10237**, number or name of organization
- Or Call 800-576-4377, select option 4

News From the Parish Office:

Greetings from Fr. Jegan!

Dear Brothers and sisters in Christ,
 The Lord has done great things for all of us. It has been a great blessing to begin to serve as God's servant to His people at St. Martin's in Martinsville. As we see farm lands around us are green and it looks beautiful in this season of the year, we notice that God has blessed us with beautiful nature that produces lot of things for us all. It is also a reminder that we are called to observe how much we are growing in faith journey as an individual, as a family and as a Parish community. As I go back with my faith journey, family is the foundation for my faith and vocation to Priesthood; my family being an ordinary catholic church is surrounded by almost 400 Hindu families in our neighborhood and always called to make a unique and different identity from all other families. I have an older sister and an older brother. My parents, Peter and Mary are always faithful Catholics and brought us in the same faith. My home town is Sankarankovil in the Diocese of Palayamkottai in the state of Tamilnadu, India. You may google it and learn more about it. Having been a small percentage of people in the country of second largest population in the world, the Catholic Church in my home Country is striving and thriving with many challenges. I am always grateful to all holy people who paved the way for the seeds of the Catholic Church in India starting from St. Thomas, the Apostle, St. Bartholomew, the Apostle in the first century and St. Francis Xavier and many Jesuit missionaries.

I am blessed to come to St. Martin's as a Catholic Priest to do God's will for St. Martin's Parish family. Being away from my family, God has sent me here to be a family member of St. Martin's. I thank you all for your loving welcome and encouragement in my first week. I am glad to share more about me eventually and know more about the Parish and all the families. Thanks be to God for His wonderful and beautiful blessings!

To be a witness for His love,
 Fr. Jegan.

Welcome!

St. Martin's would like to welcome new parishioners
 Thomas (Lee) & Nikki Otero

Church Phone & Internet

Due to recent storms, the parish phone and internet service have been out. If you need to reach the parish office please call the office number 765-342-6379 and leave a message. We are able to check the voicemail.

Please Support our Altar Society

Donations collected go to provide food for funeral meals, flowers for our Altar, as well as many other projects in our parish. You may drop your envelope containing your dues in any weekend collection - The dues this year are \$5.00 each.

Envelopes are available at both entrance of the church. Please write your name and phone number on the envelope. Thank you.

New Ministry Opportunity

Sacristans are needed: We are looking for volunteers to care for the sacristy and its contents, to prepare for the celebration of the Mass and various other duties related to preparation and clean up following Mass. For detailed information please contact Fr. Jegan, Lynne or Deacon Tim. Training will be provided.

Register now for Religious Education classes

Registration for 2017-18 Religious Education classes has begun! Students in grades K-8th grade will begin classes on Sunday, August 13th. For planning purposes please return your completed forms as soon as possible.

Please Remember In Your Prayers:

Pope invites people to share views on young people, the faith and vocational discernment

Consider it a heartfelt invitation from Pope Francis.

The pope has extended the invitation as the Church prepares for a meeting of the Synod of Bishops on young people, the faith and vocational discernment in October 2018.

In a letter to young people earlier this year, Pope Francis noted, *"The Church wishes to listen to your voice, your sensitivities and your faith, even your doubts and your criticism. Make your voice heard, let it resonate in communities, and let it be heard by your shepherds of souls."*

As part of that invitation, young people—and actually all Catholics and non-Catholics—are asked to share their thoughts on a survey that is available in the archdiocese through the website

www.archindy.org/listens

The opportunity for people to share their responses to the survey's questions about "young people, the faith and vocational discernment" will be available until July 31



Appointment of New Archbishop

Pope Francis has appointed Bishop Charles C. Thompson of Evansville as the seventh Archbishop of Indianapolis. The appointment was announced on June 13, 2017 at the Vatican and in Washington.

Archbishop-designate Charles C. Thompson of Evansville will be installed on July 28, 2017

Installation Mass

Due to the large number of people that need to be accommodated, the Installation Mass of Archbishop Charles C. Thompson on July 28, is by invitation only, however, the Mass will be live-streamed on the Archdiocese website. <http://www.archindy.org/>

Those Who Have Asked for Our Prayers

Pope Emeritus Benedict, Archbishop Emeritus Daniel Buechlein, Dick Abel, Bob Altizer, Taylor Anderson, Bob Bechtold, Mary Ann Berlin, Dotty Black, Gunner Burnam, Nick Caravaglia, Don Carr, John Cooper, Joseph Coryell, Kaleb Coryell, Peter Coyne, Alan Crawford, Vicki Crawford, Jerry Craven, Paul Craven, Cole Cristie, Donald Dailey, Beverly Elgan, Lou Feagans, Irene Fox, Samantha Freeman, Mary Gervelis, Jo Goodman, Frankie Goss, Sharon Green, Carol Henry, Wyatt Henry, Evelyn Hixson, Mike Howe, Mary Ellen Holmes, Eric Hoskins, Erin Hoskins, Amy Kalschur, AJ Kaufman, Arminta Kukman, John Malan, Brad Maxwell, Gracie McCallars, Clare McGuire, Jim McGuire, Bill Neal, Cathy Ooley, Brinely Owens, Carrie Owens, Evelyn Pellow, John & Margaret Petraits, Fritzi Postel, Jerry Ray, Julie Reeves, Victor Russell, Megan Richards, Mark Rose, Mary Rothrock, Leslie Sanders, Karen Schott, Nancy Scott, Debbie Schwab, Angela Sheets, Barbara Sheets, Jeff Sheets, John Sheets, Father Joseph Sheets, Tom Sheets, Larry Shelby, Sarah Sighting, Finn Siebert, Karen Simpson, Virginia Clark-Smith, Mary Ellen Smith, Mike Spencer, Dorcas Torre, Stephanie(Boder)Valera, Jerry Vogel, Jackie Wieser, Nina Williams, Gordon Wilson, Stella Wood, Fred Woods.

Family Members Serving Our Country

May all military personnel be safe as they protect us. We remember especially: David Burton, Darren Cecil, Azia Dwigans, Kodie Egenolf, Jason Fisher, Jason Gillispie, David Guffy, Jeremiah Harmon, Greg Johnson, Ashley Krulik, Jordan Krulik, Peter Klippel, Andrew Klippel, Andrew Nann, Tom Nichols, Joe Ooley, Michael Joe Osburn, Justin Pavey, Nicole Pavey, Kyle Richardson, Jacob Schultheis, Harry Smyser, Capt. Nathaniel E. Tiffany, Bart Wigal, and Matt Wigal. God, keep them safe and bless their families.

Parish & Community Events:

Save the Date!

St. Martin's Parish Council has set a date of Sunday, August 20th 2017 for the Annual Parish Picnic. Watch the bulletin for more details.

Morgan County Food Pantry

With the summer upon us, kids are out of school and more and more people are finding themselves in need of food assistance. This is a time of year when donations often drop off, as many families are on vacation and there are not as many food drives during the summer compared with December.

If you are able to help, you may drop your donations in the cabinet located immediately inside the east vestibule door of the church near the parish offices. Thank you to all who continue to support this effort.



2017 Parish Directory

Plans are underway for a new parish directory. If you have changed your phone number, dropped your landline, or you need to register, please email Lynne at secretarysm@att.net

34th Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee - August 27, 2017

The Office of Pro-Life and Family Life invite all married couples of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis who will celebrate 50 years of marriage in 2017 to the 34th Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee.

This joyful celebration will take place on August 27, 2017 at 2:00 pm at Ss. Peter and Paul Cathedral. The event is free of charge, but registration is required. For more information about the event or to register, please visit www.archindy.org/weddingcelebrations. Registration deadline is August 14, 2017. If you have questions, please contact Keri Carroll at kcarroll@archindy.org or (317) 236-1521.

GRIEF SUPPORT

For all who suffer a loss

October 28-29 - Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House
Sr. Connie Kramer, SP, Marilyn Hess, and Fr. Jim Farrell
Join us in taking steps towards leaving some of the pain of grief behind and move into healing under the gentle guidance of those well acquainted and trusted in grief work.

Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House

5353 East 56th Street

Indianapolis, Indiana 46226

Phone: (317) 545-7681 General email: fatima@archindy.org

Help for hurting marriages

The Married Singles Lifestyle is experienced by couples who may have lost a sense of closeness they once had as marriage partners and are living more like roommates. Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi with a long i) is a worldwide program that teaches couples how to rediscover each other and work through difficult times in their marriages. To learn more about the program or to register for the August 11 - 13 weekend and follow-up post-weekend sessions in Indianapolis, visit the website at www.HelpOurMarriage.com or www.retrouvaille.org. You can also email: RetrouIndy@gmail.com or call 317-489-6811 for confidential registration information.

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