

## SUNDAY OF DIVINE MERCY APRIL 27<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

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Confessions: Before Saturday and Sunday Masses

### MASSES AND INTENTIONS

Mon	04/28	7.00am	St. Ignatius	RIP Charlie Bauer by David & Susie Bauer
Tues	04/29	7.00am	Sts. Peter/Paul	NO MASS
Wed	04/30	6.00pm	Sts. Peter/Paul	RIP Mike Frederick Anniversary by Paula Frederick
Thurs	05/01	7.00am	St. Meinrad	RIP Tony Geels by Patrick Geels
Fri	05/02	5.30pm	St. Meinrad	RIP Butch Geels by Kenneth & Sharon Siebenmorgen
Sat	05/03	4.00pm	St. Meinrad	RIP Cletus Geels by Jackie & Ellen Kirbo
Sat	05/03	6.00pm	St. Peter/Paul	RIP Jan Tencleve by Jim & Family
Sun	05/04	8:00am	St. Meinrad	Parishioners by Fr. John
Sun	05/04	10.20am	St. Ignatius	RIP Eddie Ahne by Rita Brown

**BIRTHDAYS:** 5/1 Emily Hatcher, 5/3 Nicole Harrison, Grady Bauer.

**ANNIVERSARY:** 5/4 Cecil & Leslie Fleming.

	Last Sunday's Collection	Second Collection
St. Ignatius	\$ 1008.00	\$
Sts. Peter & Paul	\$ 1099.00	\$
St. Meinrad	\$ 1409.00	\$

DATE	LECTOR	USHERS	EMHC
05/03	Ruby Koch		Joe Koch & Hermina Fox
05/03	Dennis Siebenmorgen	Kent & Brian Kremers	Karen Schluterman, Christy Hatcher, Mary Snow
05/04	Jim Koch		Donnie & Jamie Siebenmorgen
05/04	Amanda Brewer SERVERS	Julio R. & Adam F. Ethan & Isaac Bean	Patty Pridgin, Alicia Gregory, Amanda Bean

Next weekend Adoration and Benediction will be 30 minutes before weekend masses. This Coming Friday is **first Friday**, we will recite the Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Celebrate Mass and conclude with Benediction. Please come and spend some time with God.

The next scheduled **4th Degree # 3084 meeting** will be held on Sunday May 18th at Booneville. Rosary at 4 pm with meeting to follow.

**Pope Francis passed away on April 21, 2025**, after having served as pontiff since March 13, 2013. He was 88. Recently, the pope had been hospitalized for several weeks as he suffered with pneumonia. After being released on March 23, the pope was continuing his recuperation at the Vatican. As we bid farewell to Pope Francis, we recall the gifts he shared with the world: mercy, hope and compassion. Bishop Taylor called him a "messenger of hope." A Memorial Mass for Pope Francis will be held at the Cathedral of St. Andrew, Sunday, April 27 at 5:30 p.m. Bishop Anthony B. Taylor will be the celebrant.

**Life message:** We need to accept God's invitation to celebrate and practice mercy in our Christian lives: One way the Church celebrates God's mercy throughout the year is through the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Finding time for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is another good way to receive and give thanks for Divine Mercy. But it is mainly through the corporal and spiritual works of mercy that we practice mercy in our daily lives and become eligible for God's merciful judgment. **The 7 Corporal Works of Mercy:** Feed the hungry, give drink to the thirsty, Shelter the homeless, Visit the sick, visit prisoners, Bury the dead, Give alms to the poor.

**The 7 Spiritual Works of Mercy:** Counseling the doubtful, Instructing the ignorant, Admonishing the sinner, Comforting the sorrowful, Forgiving injuries, Bearing wrongs patiently, Praying for the living and the dead.