

SUNDAY COLLECTIONS

Sept. 19	TBA
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MASS SCHEDULE

THE TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

Sat. Sept.25	5:00 PM	For Ed Gripshover
Sun. Sept.26	9:00 AM	Special Int. for the Living & Dead Members of our Parish
Mon. Sept.27	8:00 AM	For Joe Fariello
Tue. Sept. 28		<i>No Public Mass</i>
Wed. Sept. 29	8:00 AM	For the Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thur. Sept. 30		<i>No Public Mass</i>
Fri. Oct. 1		<i>No Public Mass</i>

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat. Oct. 2	5:00 PM	For Anthony Lynn Cross
Sun. Oct. 3	9:00 AM	Special Int. for the Living & Dead Members of our Parish

***PLEASE LET LINDA OR FATHER KNOW IF SOMEONE CAN BE REMOVED FROM OUR PRAYER LIST. SOME PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ON IT FOR MANY MONTHS.**

PRAYER LIST—Jerry & Eileen Ehlman, Sherri Moffett, Charles Taylor, Barbara Dirkes, Mary Louise Cross, Cotton Teegarden, Mike Newcomb, Ed Grant, Vernon Dixon, Chris Rauf, Katie Davis, Barry Bergman, Andrew Lauck, Bradley Franzen, Pam Babbington, Dave & Barb Kordenbrock, Kate & Colton Sherold, Karen Reilly, Emmitt Thomas, Jeff who is suffering with a horrible disease, Mike Leming, Dave Verst, Donnie Lauer, Mary Lamb, Lena Bach, Wayne Huffman, Justin Seiter, and Dave Neuspickel.

BIRTHDAYS— Sept. 24-Madeline Thorwarth, Sept. 25-Tony Bach

ANNIVERSARIES— 26-Jerry & Eileen Ehlman

Please send any requests for prayers or memorials to the parish email or call to make a request.



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Worship Schedule:

Saturdays – 5:00 PM

Sundays – 9:00 AM

Weekdays – please check each week’s schedule

Confession Times:

Saturdays – 4:00-4:50 PM

Sundays – 8:00-8:50 AM

Parish Staff and Volunteers

Religious Education – Roseanne Rawe (859) 635-1572

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Parish History/Cemetery Info – Patty Neuspickel (859) 472-2508

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SEPTEMBER 26, 2021

PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Words cannot express the thanks that goes out to all that helped last Sunday and made our Parish Festival a success. So many people bragged about the meal and were heard commenting about what a nice simple festival it was where they could afford to let their kids enjoy themselves and go unaccompanied throughout the whole festival without worry. Folks, that's what we are trying to accomplish; good fellowship throughout our community and parish. The profit has not been calculated yet but should be in next week's bulletin.

Raffle Winners: Grand Prize \$500-Warren Richardson, \$200-Terri North, \$100, Mary Neyer, \$50-Bernie Rawe, Linda Fryman, Rosanne Rawe, John Robinson

CCD SIGN UP SHEETS—If you are planning on your child being in Sunday School/CCD classes this coming year, please pick up a registration sheet in the back of church and return it next week.

LECTOR- SEPTEMBER 26-Bernie Rawe, OCTOBER 3-Linda Fryman

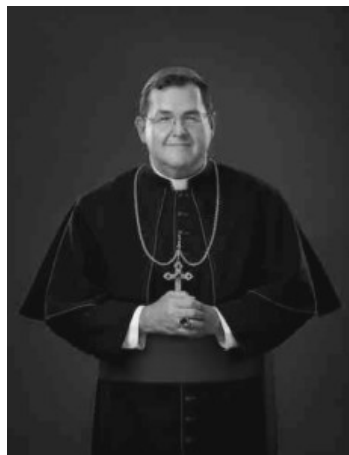
CLEANING TEAM—TBA

MASS OF CONSECRATION AND INSTALLATION OF BISHOP JOHN IFFERT ON THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, AT 3:00 PM AT THE CATHEDRAL BASILICA OF THE ASSUMPTION

Admission by ticket only; you can watch the livestream broadcast on covcathedral.com or EWTN

There will be a reception open to all at the Northern Kentucky Convention Center starting at 6:00 PM

“Wherever I go from here, Lord, let me be strong in faith and poor in spirit. Make me a man after your own heart.” Favorite prayer of Bishop-elect Iffert



FROM THE PASTOR—THE ANGELS

This week sees the feast of the Holy Archangels on September 29: the celebration of the archangels Michael, Raphael, and Gabriel. This is a good opportunity to consider the angelic order overall, their importance and their impact on us. To describe an angel first is to say that they are spiritual creatures: they do not possess a physical body, but exist similar to God in a spiritual, non-physical manner. They have greater intellects and powers than we do, especially given their ability to travel great distances at incredible speeds. We call them *angels* from the Greek *angelos* which means “messenger” and this most accurately describes them for they are the messengers of God throughout the universe.

There are said to be nine choirs of angels in the hierarchy of Heaven, divided into three spheres or triads of operation and oversight.

First Sphere: concerned with the worship and glory of God; the three choirs in here are the Thrones, Cherubim, and Seraphim

Second Sphere: concerned with the operation of the universe; the three choirs in here are the Dominations, Virtues, and Powers

Third Sphere: concerned with the operations of man; the three choirs in here are the Angels (including the guardian angels), Archangels, and Principalities

All the choirs do the work assigned to them promptly, without hesitation, and joyfully. They remind us how we should be in our service of God. They also enjoy the Beatific Vision, that is they see God face to face and communicate directly with Him. They are what we wish to become after this life. Let us pray to them, and especially the Holy Archangels this week, that we may serve God in this life so as to rejoice with Him and all the angels forever in the next life.

Fr. Jacob Straub

