Weekend Mass Schedule:
Saturday 5:00pm
Sunday 8:30am
Sunday 11:00am

Communion Service:
Monday 7:30am

Weekday Services:
Tuesday 8:00am
Wednesday 8:00am
Thursday 8:00am
Friday 8:00am

Hispanic Mass:
Sunday 6:00pm

Welcome

If you are new to the Saint Ann Catholic Church, we encourage you to register as soon as possible. Forms are available in the back of church as well as the parish office.
SACRAMENT INFORMATION

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION: Saturdays 4:15-4:45 p.m. and by appointment with the pastor.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC (RCIA): involves the reception of three sacraments. Call if you or anyone you know is interested in this process.

Catholics who wish to receive the following sacraments should be registered in the parish, attend Mass regularly, participate in stewardship and be in good standing with the Church.

BAKPTISM: Infants—6 yrs old. Parents are required to register and attend a Baptismal Class prior to your child’s Baptism.

CONFIRMATION: Preparation is included with your attendance in one of our religious education programs.

EUCHARIST: Please call if you or someone you know cannot attend Mass and desire Communion to be received at home or another facility because of illness or advanced age.

MARRIAGE: Please call four months in advance of the desired date. An actual date can only be set by the Priest or Deacon after meeting with the couple.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK: This can provide spiritual strength and healing to those dealing with serious health issues. Do not wait until someone is critical and unable to participate in prayer. Contact the Priest in advance of elective surgery so that you can receive the Sacrament before entering a health facility. Upon registering at a facility, state you are a Catholic and member of St. Ann Church.

For additional information about sacraments or to discuss scheduling, please contact Deacon Marty Mulloy at 298-1782 ext. 3665 or marty@stannnash.org.
**Parish News:**

**A Note from Fr. Carré:** I wish to thank all for the cards and well wishes on my birthday. A special thank you to the Knights of Columbus and the Hospitality Committee for making it such a special day. I truly was touched by your love. God bless.**

**ADORATION** will be held Holy Thursday, March 24th from 8:30pm until 10:00pm and Good Friday, March 25th from 7:00am until 7:00pm. The sign up sheet is located by the Chapel and Vestibule. We will have Stations of the Cross @ 12:00 Noon on Good Friday in the Church.

+++THERE WILL BE NO daily 8:00am MASS on Holy Thursday or Good Friday of Holy Week (March 24 & 25). Please see enclosed HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE for Mass information. +++

A message for us ----

Although we are in the Lenten springtime and should of course be joyful at the unfolding paschal mystery, frankly many of us are not feeling joyful. We are still grieving the loss of our beloved Father Philip.

Yet, he would, I trust, want us to try and look ahead to that most splendid promise of our loving Lord. As Philip often told us, that promise holds true in good times and well as bad. Our heads and hearts are in need of healing, and by praying together and helping each other we will begin to heal.

Let us ask Father Philip who is not surely among the Saints in heaven, to help us in our grief as we cherish the memory of this most decent and loving man.

May God Bless you and let us “Keep on Keeping on!”

Deacon Jim Holzemer

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**Community Events:**

Spring is just around the corner and where will you find your new Easter outfit? The Ladies of Charity Consignment Shop of course. Our spring consignment sale kicks off on Friday, March 18th. Gentleman, need a new sport coat? We have it. Ladies, need a new Easter frock or handbag? We have it. Need outfits for the kiddos? Look no further. The Ladies of Charity Consignment Shop, located at 2216 State Street, will be open daily Monday – Saturday, from 10 am to 4 pm, through Saturday, April 30th. Sale proceeds will go to support the Ladies of Charity work in the community. We look forward to seeing you!

**Saint Ann School** will be enrolling a new Pre-Kindergarten class starting this coming school year 2016-2017. Class size is limited to 20 students. Applications are available in the school office. For more information, please contact the school office at 615-269-0568. GO EAGLES!!

Camp Marymount Registration is now open for the 2016 Summer sessions. Please visit our website www.campmarymount.com to apply. If you have any questions please call 615.799.0410.

**Nursery News:** The Saint Ann Nursery is available for children between the ages of 1 and 5 during the 8:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Sunday Masses. All children are welcome to attend! The nursery is supervised by volunteers of the parish, and is located across the parking lot in the lower level of the Parish Life Center (please use the Parish Office entrance and take the elevator or stairwell down to the basement level). **NOTE: The Nursery will be closed on March 27th for Easter Sunday, but open all other Sundays.**

**Thanks from the School:** We would like to thank those who have given so generously to the Memorial for Fr. Philip Breen. To date we have received $2,830 in memorial donations. Thank you and God bless.

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**Parish Prayer List:**

(Request for prayers remain on the Prayer List for a max of 30 days.)

Please continue to pray for the following members of the Saint Ann Catholic Community:

Lee Holzemer, Lee Ann Goode, Bob Everman, Bernadine Hughes and Larry Dewane

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**SAINT ANN PARISH MINISTRIES**

| Arts & Crafts Ministry (Wee Care Baby Project)          | Ruth Neal - 615-500-5181 |
| Children’s Liturgy for grades 1-4                     | Kelly Braniff - 615-298-1782 ext. 3663 kelly@stannnash.org |
| English Class                                        | Teresa Hinson tahcary@hotmail.com or Marnie Huff marniehuff@bellsouth.net |
| Flowers for weekend liturgy                          | Kim Cherry - 615-298-1782 kim@stannnash.org |
| Knights of Columbus                                  | Buist Richardson—buist.richardson@avisonyoung.com |
| Ladies Auxiliary                                     | Krystal Johnson—615-545-1247 krystal@stannnash.org |
| Ladies Guild/Altar Society                           | Carol Fike - 615-519-4595 |
| Mass Intentions or Prayer List                        | Kim Cherry –615-298-1782 kim@stannnash.org |
| 8:30 & 11:00 Nursery                                  | Renee Schultz renrice@yahoo.com or Michelle Gawley bsr_michelle@msn.com |
| Parish Council                                       | Ruth Neal - rotheon_99@yahoo.com |
| Sacristans                                           | Mike Patenaude—615-945-4089 patenaude54@bellsouth.net or Becky Smith - 615-512-6719 Rebecca@smithjonesfamily.com |
| Youth Group                                          | Dan & Laura Reynolds-512-774-9394 |
| Sunday School of Religion                             | Deacon Mulloy - 615-298-1782 ext 3665 marty@stannnash.org |
Pope Francis has asked our parish to support Christians in the Holy Land.

Through the Good Friday Collection, you join with Catholics around the world to stand in solidarity with the Church in the Holy Land. When you contribute to the Pontifical Good Friday Collection, you become an instrument of peace in a troubled land.

In these challenging times in the Middle East, your support means that our church will conduct parish ministry, provide Catholic education, feed the hungry, build housing for Christians, maintain shrines and operate refugee centers in the Holy Land.

Christians, along with all of the clergy and religious who serve in the Holy Land, will deeply appreciate your prayers and financial help! The political, religious and military challenges in the Holy Land are more complex than ever. The wars, unrest and instability have been especially hard on Christians.

Our parish will support Christians in the Holy Land through the Good Friday Collection, as requested by Pope Francis. Like Simon of Cyrene, you can help carry the cross under very difficult circumstances in the Holy Land.

PLEASE BE GENEROUS!
For more information about Christians in the Holy Land, visit www.myfranciscan.org/good-friday.

.............. involves not only receiving the privileges of our Catholic faith (Mass/Eucharist, other sacraments, education/formation opportunities, parish activities), but also giving of your time, talent and treasure.

We are many parts but all one body” Each of us has skills and talents to offer. Saint Ann Catholic Community will thrive with each of us sharing our God given abilities. Please prayerfully join one or many of the ministries offered within the faith community.

You can be an active member by attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days as well as volunteering your time/talents in one of our many ministries. Regular use of the parish envelopes, even if you are only able to contribute minimally, is a gesture of support and unity.

Initially (if you are new to the parish or have never filled out information), it involves some minimal paperwork so that we have some basic information on your family, including reception of the sacraments. Registering with the parish is required if you would like to have a child baptized, desire to be married, need a letter of recommendation for sponsorship, request last rites or apply for tuition subsidy. A record of your support in regards to time, talent and treasure is important in those regards.

We are grateful for each and every one of you, as together we make up the Body of Christ.
ORDINATION ANNIVERSARIES
APRIL 2016

17 - Rev Jose Kariamadam, CMI, 1061 S Ellington Pkwy
Lewisburg 37701

21 - Rev Louis Edward Rojas, SAC, 506 S Brittain Street
Shelbyville 37160

27 - Rev Thomas P Kalem, CMI, 1229 Stoop Thirty Road,
McMinnville 37110

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS APRIL 2016

01 – Rev Edward F Steiner, 2015 West End Avenue, Nashville
37203

09 – Rev Willfred Steinbacher, Glenmary

13 – Rev Emmanuel Dineduho, 2500 W Woodlawn Ave,
San Antonio TX 78228

14 – Rev Jose Kariamadam, CMI, 1061 S Ellington Pkwy,
Lebanon 37081

16 - Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI

24 – Rev Magn Owen F Campion, Our Sunday Visitor 200 Noll Plaza
Huntington, IN 46750

24 – Rev Alejandro Godinez, P O Box 148336, Nashville 37214

24 – Rev James Mallett, 720 Bacon Trail #61, Chattanooga 37413

25 – Rev Jerry Strange, 1227 Seventh Ave N, Nashville 37208

PRAYERS FOR PRIESTS AND RELIGIOUS
OF THE DIOCESE OF NASHVILLE
APRIL 2016

Grant, O Lord, that every hand laid upon you at the altar may be
a friendly hand, whose touch is tender and consoling as Joseph’s
was; that the lips which form so many sacred words may never be
profaned by frivolous or unworthy speech; that priests may guard,
even in the noisy streets of the city, the impress of their noble
functions, the bright token that they have but lately come down
from your holy mountain; and in their garments the fragrance of
the altar, that everyone may find them living memorials of You,
accessible to all, yet more than other men.

Grant that they may confect from the Mass of today a hunger
and thirst for the Mass of the morrow, that the sacred anticipation
be their last thought at night and Your tender summons their first
awareness in the morning; that Your priests, filled with You and
Your good gifts, may give largely to the rest of men who look to
You. Amen.

A Project Of The Nashville Diocesan Council of Catholic Women

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Haiti Lenten Project Extended
Through April 3 (SATURDAY AND SUNDAY MASSES ONLY)

Please bring the following items for the parishioners of St. Georges Church in Bassin Bleu, Haiti.

Food
- Rice (small bags)
- Flour
- Spaghetti
- Powdered Juice
- Peanut butter
- Canned green beans
- Canned corn
- Tomato paste

Clothes/Shoes
- Clothes – clean and in good condition
- Shoes – in good condition (especially sandals and tennis shoes)

Miscellaneous items
- Backpacks
- Notebooks
- Pens
- Bath towels
- Toilet paper
- Napkins

Toys/School items
- Soccer balls
- Toys in good condition

⚠️ NO BOTTLED WATER, PLEASE

Place donated items in the box in the back of church.
Anything helps! Thank you!
SAINT ANN HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE-2016

WEDNESDAY - MARCH 23
Blessing of Oils used for the Sacraments
Mass of the Holy Chrism 6:00 pm
Bishop David Choby, Celebrant
Cathedral of the Incarnation-All welcome!

HOLY THURSDAY - MARCH 24
Mass to Recall the Institution of the Eucharist and Holy Orders
Washing of Feet – Our Call to Service
Mass of the Lord’s Supper 7:00 pm
Adoration from 8:30 pm until 10:00 pm

GOOD FRIDAY - MARCH 25
A Day of Fast and Abstinence as We Recall
The Sacrifice & Death of Christ
Adoration from 7:00 am until 7:00 pm
Stations of the Cross – 12:00 Noon
Proclamation of the Lord’s Passion,
Veneration of the Cross and Holy Communion 7:00 pm

HOLY SATURDAY - MARCH 26
Celebration of the Lord’s Resurrection
NO Mass 5:00 pm
No Reconciliation (Confessions)
Reception of New Members in the RCIA at the
Easter Vigil Mass 7:30 pm- All welcome!

EASTER SUNDAY - MARCH 27
Celebration of the Lord’s Resurrection
Renewal of our Baptismal Vows
Masses 8:30 & 11:00 am
THERE WILL BE NO 5:00PM MASS ON HOLY SATURDAY.

THE ONLY MASS HOLY SATURDAY WILL BE AT 7:30 PM AND WE WILL WELCOME OUR NEW CATHOLICS WITH THE SACRAMENTS OF INITIATION AT THAT TIME.

HOLY WEEK STANDS OUT TO US EACH YEAR WITH DIFFERENT CEREMONIES AT DIFFERENT TIMES FROM THE USUAL ROUTINE. FOR SOME YEARS WE HAVE HAD A 5:00PM MASS IN ADDITION TO THE LATER EASTER VIGIL MASS. THIS WAS A PASTORAL DECISION APART FROM THE NORM DUE TO THE CROWD, ETC.

WE BELIEVE THREE MASSES WILL BE ADEQUATE FOR OUR CONGREGATION THIS YEAR. LITURGY GUIDELINES STATE HOLY SATURDAY SHOULD BE A REFLECTIVE DAY RECALLING JESUS IN THE TOMB.


- WILL THIS CELEBRATION BE LONGER THAN THE USUAL MASS? YES, AS WE DON’T USUALLY HAVE THREE SACRAMENTS RECEIVED AT MASS.
- DO WE LEAVE A GAME OF OUR FAVORITE BALL TEAM WHEN THEY GO INTO OVERTIME? CAN WE NOT STAY LONGER ON THIS GREATEST FEAST TO OFFER PRAISE AND THANKS TO GOD? WHAT GREATER GIFT THAN THE HOPE OF ETERNAL LIFE EXPRESSED IN THE RESURRECTION.

ST. ANN IS KNOWN AS A WELCOMING COMMUNITY. THINK WHAT IT WOULD MEAN TO OUR NEW CATHOLICS IF THEY WALKED IN TO A PACKED CHURCH. THAT ALL THOSE PEOPLE WOULD PRAY FOR THEM AND REJOICE IN THEIR DECISION TO JOIN OUR FAITH COMMUNITY.

THIS DECISION WAS MADE IN CONSIDERING THE SIZE OF OUR CONGREGATION, REVIEWING RECENT LITURGICAL GUIDELINES AND A LONG TRADITION IN MOST CATHOLIC CHURCHES IN THE USA, WE WANTED YOU TO KNOW WHY THIS CHANGE WAS MADE.