

AUGUST 23, 2026 TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



****We are grateful to have been blessed with an abundance of Mass Intentions. At this time, our Mass book is filled, and we will need to pause accepting new intentions for the next few months. We appreciate your understanding and will let you know as soon as we are able to resume scheduling. ****

Sat. Aug. 22	4:00 p.m.	+Stephanie Black
Sun. Aug. 23	8:00 a.m.	Pro Populo
Wed. Aug. 26	8:30 a.m.	+Marge Mangan
Thurs. Aug. 27	6:00 p.m.	+Nancy O'Connell

Sat. Aug. 29	4:00 p.m.	+Petra Van Gessel
Sun. Aug. 30	8:00 a.m.	Pro Populo
Wed. Sept. 2	8:30 a.m.	Van Gessel Families
Thurs. Sept. 3	6:00 p.m.	Bob and Beth Freeman

*Pro Populo-For the People

+ Deceased



PRAYER LIST FOR HEALING



Sr. Cheryl Dazey
Blas Michael
Reeve Zolman
Tim Berendt
Bonnie DeBolt
Austin Combs (Military)
Kolb Family
Matthew Huff
Tim Darrow
Danielle Gray
Mike Curtis
Clyde and Renee Bowlin
Tim Deck
Xavier Colter
John and Sherri Cloft



Faith Formation

Sunday Mornings 9:15-10:30 a.m.

Classes will begin on Sunday, September 13!

Registration emails have been sent. If you did not receive one, please contact the office or pick up a packet on the back table.

*Please make checks payable to Blessed Sacrament.

*Completed packets and payments can be returned to the tray on the back table.

Contact Angela Furlotte with questions:
blessedsacrament.dre.albion@gmail.com

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 23

Sunday	Is 22:19-23 Rom 11:33-36 Mt 16:13-20 (121)
Monday	Rv 21:9b-14 Jn 1:45-51 (629)
Tuesday	2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17 Mt 23:23-26 (426)
Wednesday	2 Thes 3:6-10, 16-18 Mt 23:27-32 (427)
Thursday	1 Cor 1:1-9 Mt 24:42-51 (428)
Friday	1 Cor 1:17-25 Mt 25:1-13 (429)
Saturday	1 Cor 1:26-31 (430) Mk 6:17-29 (634)

LITURGICAL MINISTERS AUGUST 29-30

Greeters		
Saturday	J. & R. Herrmann	
Sunday	Mawhorter Family	
Proclaimer		
Saturday	P. DeCamp	
Sunday	T. Teeter	
Eucharistic Minister		
Saturday	M. Patterson	
Sunday	F. Lortie, B. Hosted	
Altar Servers		
Saturday	T. Westafer, Z. Westafer	
Sunday	R. and N. Lemmon	
Coffee and Donuts		
Bill and Barb Hosted		



PARISH SUPPORT: Week of August 16, 2026

Adult	\$2825.00
Loose	\$413.00
Coffee and Donuts	\$33.55
Building Fund	\$25.00
TOTAL	\$3296.55

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!

Counters August 30, 2026

B. Freeman	R. Berendt	S. Beam
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Looking Ahead

August 30	2 nd Collection: Women's Care Center
Sept. 10	OCIA Begins
Sept. 13	2 nd Collection: Catholic Communication
Sept. 13	Faith Formation Begins
Sept. 13	Pilgrimage to Patroness of America
Sept. 26-27	Mission Appeal Masses
Sept. 27	Adult Sunday Faith Group Begins
Sept. 28	Blood Drive

Savoring the Mystery Preaching Formation Workshop

Clergy, lectors, cantors, teachers, catechists, and diocesan leaders are invited to *Savoring the Mystery* on September 18 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. at the Archbishop Noll Center. Presented by the University of Notre Dame Center for Liturgy, this workshop will explore the sacramentality of Sacred Scripture and help participants deepen the way they hear, pray, and proclaim the living Word of God. The day includes three talks, discussion, prayer, guided activities, workshop materials, breakfast, refreshments, and lunch, and is free of charge.

Registration is free but required to attend.

Contact: [Joshua McManaway, Ph.D.](#), program director

Fifth Annual Walking Pilgrimage

from Kendallville

Sept. 13th
@ 1:00 pm

to Our Lady,
Patroness of
America Center

Concluding with Benediction and a cookout
beginning at 5:00 pm

For details and to RSVP visit: PatronessofAmerica.org

Our parish website, blessedsacramentalbion.org, now includes links to the Mass Ministries schedule, as well as the weekly bulletins. Be sure to visit the website to stay up to date with parish information and schedules.

Your copy of ***Our Holy Relics***, a book about relics here at Blessed Sacrament Parish, is ready for your pickup. The books are in the narthex at the entry into the church. The books are labeled with the names of registered parishioners.

If you do not see your name, but would like a copy, please email the parish office (blessedsacramentc@gmail.com) and we will get a copy to you.

Weekend Retreat

with

Fr. Jerry Byrd

as seen on



EWTN

The Journey Home

"Living the Litany of Humility"

September 18-20, 2026

**Mother of the Redeemer
Retreat Center**

Bloomington, IN

More Info:

Call:

812-825-4642, ext. 1



INTERESTED IN THE OCIA PROGRAM?

THE ORDER FOR CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (OCIA) IS A YEAR LONG PROCESS OF PRAYER, LEARNING AND REFLECTION DESIGNED FOR THOSE SEEKING TO BECOME CATHOLIC, THOSE SEEKING THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION, AND FOR THOSE SIMPLY EXPLORING THE CATHOLIC FAITH. IT IS OPEN TO ALL ADULTS AGE 18+.

**CLASSES BEGIN
THURSDAY,
SEPTEMBER 10.**

CONTACT FR. J IF YOU OR
SOMEONE YOU KNOW IS
INTERESTED IN JOINING
THIS YEAR.

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