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## Bulletin Announcements for August 2014

Dear Parish Bulletin Coordinators:

Included in this mailing please find the bulletin announcements and fliers for the month of June. Please consider adding any announcements to your bulletin that your parish may be interested in.

If your parish has Pro-Life and Family Life events you want other parishes to know about please submit them to [kcarroll@archindy.org](mailto:kcarroll@archindy.org). We will be in contact with you regarding your request. If you have any questions please contact, *Keri Carroll*, 317-236-1521 or email her.

This update contains bulletin announcements and fliers regarding the following events.

- Helpers of God's Precious Infants Prayer Vigils – Indianapolis & Terre Haute
- Faithful Citizens' Rosary Procession
  - Flier available at <http://www.archindy.org/plfl/documents/FaithfulCitizenRosaryProcession2014.pdf>
- Respect Life Mass - Indianapolis
- Birthline – Phone Volunteer, Diapers
- Caregivers Conference
- Being and Belonging - <http://www.archindy.org/plfl/ministries-divorce.html> - Should you need more of attached flier contact the Office of Pro-Life and Family Life.
- Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend
- Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass –
  - Printable registration available at <http://www.archindy.org/plfl/jubilee-info.html>
- Word of Life Bulletin Series and Intercession from the USCCB
  - English - available at <http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/word-of-life/upload/Word-of-Life-2014-08.pdf>
  - Spanish – available at <http://www.usccb.org/about/pro-life-activities/word-of-life/upload/Palabra-de-Vida-2014-08.pdf>
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- Annulment Nominations Forms available at What the Catholic Church Teaches
  - Printable flyer available at <http://www.archindy.org/plfl/documents/2014ANNULMENTFlyer2014.pdf>.

**Please encourage your Golden Wedding Jubilarians to register early!**

Thank you!

Staff of the Office Pro-Life and Family Life

## Weekend of July 26 – 27, 2014

**\*\*Please remember to fill out the Parish Ministry Contact Information Form and send it back to us. \*\***

This form was sent out in May to be completed and sent back by the last week of July. This will aid our office in making sure we are sending information to the correct person.

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### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend – September 26 – 28, 2014**



We would not expect a car, or a house heating/air conditioning system to run for years without any servicing, so why do we expect our marriage relationship to keep running smoothly without a little maintenance? The **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** gives married couples the tools to keep their relationship in top running condition. Marriage Encounter Weekends during the remainder of 2014 are at the Clarion Hotel, Clarksville from September 26-28 and at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House, Indianapolis from November 7-9. Visit [www.wwme.org](http://www.wwme.org) for further information and dates for 2015.

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1213~Victory of Muret 1571~The Battle of Lepanto 1627~La Rochelle, France

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December 28, 2013

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April 26, 2014

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Rosary Rally @ Marian Univ.

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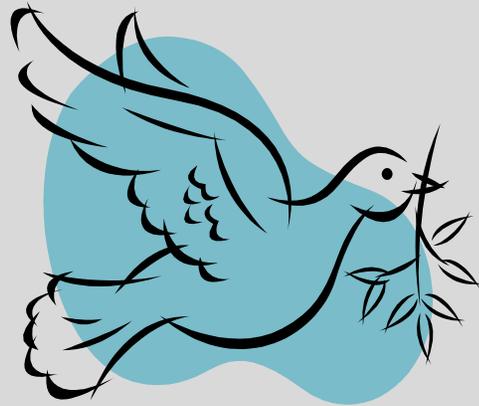
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### OUR LADY OF FATIMA RETREAT HOUSE

As an agency of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis, we welcome people from various religious traditions and not-for-profit groups in addition to meeting the needs of the Catholic community. Because we believe renewal is an art, you will find original photography, oil on canvas and lithography throughout our building.

Located on the northeast side of Indianapolis, nearly two miles west of I-465 at 5353 E. 56th St. Maps are available upon request.

The rooms are private rooms with semi-private bath. The simplicity of the rooms is meant to stand in contrast to our cluttered lives.

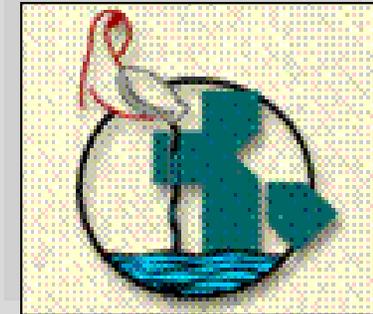
What to bring: We will provide all of the towels and linens. In addition to your personal items, you may want to bring an alarm clock. Comfortable clothes are the norm.

If you have questions that are not answered here, please call Our Lady of Fatima at 545-7681 or e-mail: [fatima@archindy.org](mailto:fatima@archindy.org)

For the best experience we encourage you to leave cell phones and watches in your room. You may use Fatima's phone number 317-545-7681 for loved ones to reach you in an emergency. We will find you if you are needed.

**A RETREAT FOR  
SEPARATED AND  
DIVORCED CATHOLICS  
ALL FAITHS WELCOME  
  
BEING & BELONGING**

**OCTOBER 3-5, 2014**



**Presented by  
THE ARCHDIOCESE OF  
INDIANAPOLIS  
PRO-LIFE & FAMILY LIFE OFFICE  
&  
OUR LADY OF FATIMA  
RETREAT HOUSE  
5353 E. 56TH STREET  
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46226  
317-545-7681**

## ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

A team of men and women who have experienced divorce and are actively involved in divorce ministry will share their stories and how they found hope and healing.

The team will be accompanied by **Fr. Jim Farrell**.

**Fr. Jim** serves as a priest of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. Ordained in Rome by Pope Paul VI in 1975, Fr. Jim has served in a variety of pastoral assignments and has been a frequent retreat presenter for more than 30 years at Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House where he now serves as director. Fr. Jim is also pastor of St. Pius X Parish in Indianapolis and presents parish missions across the archdiocese and for other parishes in the Midwest. He also served for over 15 years as chaplain to Separated, Divorced and Remarried Catholics (SDRC).

***PROGRAM BEGINS WITH CHECK-IN on Friday at 6:30 p.m. and concludes after Eucharist on Sunday around noon. Includes meals and overnight. Traditionally, following retreat many participants gather at a local restaurant for lunch and fellowship. This is optional.***

## ABOUT THE RETREAT

This retreat offers a safe place to wrestle with feelings about divorce, question where you belong, and find ways to heal and grow.

**Come to Fatima** and be at peace in the knowledge of God's love for you. Experience the understanding that others offer. Listen to their stories, which will touch on your journey. Share your own experiences when you are ready. This weekend will move you forward in the healing process and increase your sense of belonging through sharing.

Discover anew that God is with you in your struggles and in your hope. Retreat facilitators will lead you through activities designed to help heal old wounds, find new joy, and develop new friendships.

## REST AND RENEW

I earnestly call upon pastors and the whole community of the faithful to help the divorced and with solicitous care to make sure that they do not consider themselves as separated from the church for as baptized persons they can, and indeed must, share in her life.

-Pope John Paul II, Familiaris Consortio

***SIGN ME UP!***  
**BEING AND BELONGING**  
**FR. JIM FARRELL**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY/ST \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

First Floor Room Needed \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary Restrictions (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

Full Payment \$159 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Deposit \$50, balance due at check-in \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to:

Our Lady of Fatima Retreat House  
5363 E. 56th Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46226



## ARCHDIOCESE OF INDIANAPOLIS

The Church in Central and Southern Indiana

### CELEBRACIÓN DEL ANIVERSARIO DE BODAS DE ORO

Nos gustaría asistir a la Celebración de la Misa de Aniversario de Bodas de Oro realizada por la Arquidiócesis en la Iglesia Catedral San Pedro y San Pablo.

#### Por favor utilice letra de imprenta

APELLIDO \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMER NOMBRE DEL ESPOSO \_\_\_\_\_ ESPOSA \_\_\_\_\_

DIRECCIÓN \_\_\_\_\_

TELÉFONO \_\_\_\_\_ PARROQUIA \_\_\_\_\_

FECHA DE MATRIMONIO \_\_\_\_\_ IGLESIA/CIUDAD \_\_\_\_\_

CANTIDAD DE AÑOS DE MATRIMONIO \_\_\_\_\_

Nosotros tenemos: \_\_\_\_\_ Hijos/Hijas \_\_\_\_\_ Nietos/Nietas  
\_\_\_\_\_ Biznietos/Biznietas \_\_\_\_\_ Tataranietos/Tataranietas

Los siguientes miembros de nuestra familia piensan asistir a la Celebración de Bodas de Oro y también están interesados en servir en uno de los ministerios litúrgicos mencionados a continuación. El miembro de familia interesado en participar debe ser parte de este ministerio en su parroquia y servir los días domingos en la Misa.

LECTOR \_\_\_\_\_ PARROQUIA/TELÉFONO \_\_\_\_\_

MINISTRO DE LA EUCARÍSTIA \_\_\_\_\_ PARROQUIA/TELÉFONO \_\_\_\_\_

Se le enviarán 2 tickets para asistir a la Misa en la Iglesia Catedral San Pedro y San Pablo el día 21 de septiembre del 2014 a las 2:00 pm. Por favor indique abajo cuantos **Tickets de Invitación** le gustaría recibir para invitar a sus familiares y amigos. Trataremos de hacer lo posible para que usted y sus invitados se sienten juntos. Los tickets para usted y para sus invitados serán enviados a la dirección proporcionada en la parte superior de este documento. **Please circle number of tickets needed.**

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Para mayor información llame al (317) 236-1521 o llame gratuitamente al 1-800-382-9836 ext. 1521, **or fax** (317)-236-1401—**Attn: Office of Pro-Life and Family Life**. Por favor envíe este formulario de regreso antes del **August 28, 2014**, a la siguiente dirección:

Arquidiócesis de Indianápolis  
**Office of Pro-Life and Family Life**  
1400 North Meridian Street  
Indianapolis IN 46202



ARCHDIOCESE OF INDIANAPOLIS  
The Church in Central and Southern Indiana

## Golden Wedding Jubilee Celebration

We would like to attend the Archdiocesan Golden Wedding Anniversary Mass  
At SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral

### Please Print

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Wife's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Date Married \_\_\_\_\_ Church/City \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Years Married \_\_\_\_\_

We have \_\_\_\_\_ Children \_\_\_\_\_ Grandchildren

\_\_\_\_\_ Great Grandchildren \_\_\_\_\_ Great-Great Grandchildren

The following member of our family plan to attend the Golden Wedding Jubilee Celebration and would be interested in serving in one of the liturgical ministries listed below. The family member must serve in this ministry at Sunday Mass in their parish.

Lector \_\_\_\_\_ Parish/Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Eucharistic Minister \_\_\_\_\_ Parish/Phone \_\_\_\_\_

You will be mailed 2 tickets at attend the Mass at SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral at 2:00 pm on Sunday, September 21, 2014. Please indicate below how many guest tickets (**up to 4 guests**) you wish to receive for family member or friends. You will be seated together if possible. Your tickets and your guests tickets will be mailed to the address provided above. Please circle number of tickets needed.

1                      2                      3                      4

For further information call (317) 236-1521, toll free 1(800) 382-9836 ext. 1521, or Fax (317) 236-1401—  
Attention Office of Pro-Life and Family Life. Please return this registration form by August 28, 2014 to :

Archdiocese of Indianapolis  
Office of Pro-Life and Family Life  
1400 North Meridian Street  
Indianapolis IN 46202

# Palabra de Vida

## Agosto de 2014

### Intercesiones por la Vida

**3 de agosto**

**18° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Por las parejas casadas que tienen dificultades para tener hijos:

que Dios les dé consuelo en su sufrimiento;

Roguemos al Señor:

**10 de agosto**

**19° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Por todas las futuras madres que enfrentan desafíos difíciles:

para que Cristo fortalezca su fe y satisfaga sus necesidades;

Roguemos al Señor:

**17 de agosto**

**20° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Por los que afrontan la pena de muerte y todas las personas afectadas por sus delitos:

para que el amor misericordioso de Dios traiga reconciliación y paz;

Roguemos al Señor:

**24 de agosto**

**21° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Por los ancianos:

para que sientan el gozo de pertenecer a comunidades cariñosas;

Roguemos al Señor:

**31 de agosto**

**22° Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

Por quienes se sienten desanimados en su labor para construir una cultura de la vida:

para que sean renovados por el poder del Espíritu Santo;

Roguemos al Señor:

# Palabra de Vida Agosto de 2014

## Citas para el boletín

“Cada niño no nacido, pero condenado injustamente a ser abortado, tiene el rostro de Jesucristo, tiene el rostro del Señor, que antes aún de nacer, y después recién nacido, experimentó el rechazo del mundo. [...] Y cada anciano, aunque esté enfermo o al final de sus días, lleva en sí el rostro de Cristo. ¡No se pueden descartar, como nos propone la ‘cultura del descarte’! ¡No se pueden descartar!”

— Papa Francisco, Discurso a los participantes en la Conferencia organizada por la Federación Internacional de las Asociaciones Médicas Católicas, 20 de septiembre de 2013

“El hijo no es un *derecho* sino un *don*. El ‘don [...] más excelente [...] del matrimonio’ es una persona humana. El hijo no puede ser considerado como un objeto de propiedad, a lo que conduciría el reconocimiento de un pretendido ‘derecho al hijo’. A este respecto, sólo el hijo posee verdaderos derechos: el de ‘ser el fruto del acto específico del amor conyugal de sus padres, y tiene también el derecho a ser respetado como persona desde el momento de su concepción”.

— *Catecismo de la Iglesia Católica*, 2378

“Mediante la vulnerabilidad y la dependencia del moribundo, descubrimos un llamado a salir de nosotros mismos y llegar a quienes están a nuestro alrededor y finalmente a Dios mismo”.

— Ruth Ashfield, “The Gift of the Dying Person”, *Communio*, 39, otoño de 2012

“Sé muy bien que es difícil perdonar y que, a veces, parece imposible, pero es el único camino, pues toda venganza y toda violencia engendran otras venganzas y otras violencias. Resulta, ciertamente, menos difícil perdonar cuando se tiene conciencia de que Dios no se cansa de amarnos y perdonarnos”.

— Papa Juan Pablo II, Jornada Mundial de la Paz 1º de enero de 1997

**Vida, matrimonio y libertad religiosa**  
Visite [www.usccb.org/pray](http://www.usccb.org/pray). ¡Únase al Movimiento!

# WORD OF LIFE

*August 2014*

## **Intercessions for Life**

**August 3<sup>rd</sup>                      Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For married couples experiencing difficulty having children:

May God comfort them in their suffering;

We pray to the Lord:

**August 10<sup>th</sup>                      Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For all expectant mothers facing difficult challenges:

May Christ strengthen their faith and provide for their needs;

We pray to the Lord:

**August 17<sup>th</sup>                      Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For those facing the death penalty and all affected by their crimes:

May God's merciful love bring about reconciliation and peace;

We pray to the Lord:

**August 24<sup>th</sup>                      Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For the elderly:

May they experience the joy of belonging to loving communities;

We pray to the Lord:

**August 31<sup>st</sup>                      Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

For those who are discouraged in their work to build a culture of life:

May they be renewed by the power of the Holy Spirit;

We pray to the Lord:

# WORD OF LIFE AUGUST 2014

## Bulletin Briefs

“Every child who, rather than being born, is condemned unjustly to being aborted, bears the face of Jesus Christ, bears the face of the Lord, who even before he was born, and then just after birth, experienced the world’s rejection. And every elderly person ... even if he is ill or at the end of his days, bears the face of Christ. They cannot be discarded, as the ‘culture of waste’ suggests! They cannot be thrown away!”

— Pope Francis, Address to Participants in the Meeting Organized by the International Federation of Catholic Medical Associations, Sept. 20, 2013

“A child is not something *owed* to one, but is a *gift*. The ‘supreme gift of marriage’ is a human person. A child may not be considered a piece of property, an idea to which an alleged ‘right to a child’ would lead. In this area, only the child possesses genuine rights: the right ‘to be the fruit of the specific act of the conjugal love of his parents,’ and ‘the right to be respected as a person from the moment of his conception.’”

— Catechism of the Catholic Church 2378

“Through the vulnerability and dependence of the dying person, we discover a call to reach beyond ourselves to those around us and ultimately to God Himself.”

— Ruth Ashfield, “The Gift of the Dying Person,” *Communio*, 39, Fall 2012

“I know well that it is hard, and sometimes even appears to be impossible to forgive, but it is the only way, because all revenge and all violence give rise to further revenge and violence. It is certainly less difficult to forgive when one is aware that God never tires of loving and forgiving us.”

— Pope John Paul II, World Peace Day  
January 1, 1997

**Life, Marriage and Religious Liberty**  
Visit [www.usccb.org/pray](http://www.usccb.org/pray). Join the Movement!

*Each of us is a masterpiece of God's Creation*

# Respect Life Sunday Mass

October 5, 2014 at 1:00 PM

Ss. Peter & Paul Cathedral



*Following Mass:  
Central Indiana Life Chain  
2:30 PM - 3:30 PM*

*Along Meridian St. between Ohio & 40<sup>th</sup> Street*



*"Even the weakest and most vulnerable, the sick, the old, the unborn and the poor are masterpieces of God's creation, made in his own image, destined to live forever, and deserving of the utmost reverence and respect."*

*~Pope Francis, Day of Life Message*

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Office of Pro-Life &  
Family Life



# Archbishop O'Meara Respect Life Award

**October 5, 2014**

Office for Pro-Life and Family Life  
1400 N. Meridian Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

Telephone 317-236-1569  
[rniemerg@archindy.org](mailto:rniemerg@archindy.org)

## The following adult or married couple is being nominated for the Archbishop O'Meara Respect Life Award in 2014

Please Print Name of Nominee(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's  
Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Deanery \_\_\_\_\_

Check the title/role of the person making the nomination:

\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_ Associate Pastor \_\_\_\_ Parish Life Coordinator

\_\_\_\_ Pastoral Assistant \_\_\_\_ Parish Pro-Life Contact \_\_\_\_ DRE

\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate sheet of paper, state in a few paragraphs why this adult should be recognized for his or her pro-life efforts. Keep in mind that this person should demonstrate leadership abilities in promoting the dignity and sanctity of human life in the parish community and in the archdiocese. Include a description of this person's pro-life activities.

Please note that many pro-life initiatives address abortion. However, adults involved with the terminally ill, handicapped, impoverished, neglected and marginalized should be considered for this award as well!

The above information and nominating paragraphs can also be emailed to Rebecca Niemerg at [rniemerg@archindy.org](mailto:rniemerg@archindy.org).

**Please return this form to the Office of Pro-Life and Family Life  
no later than September 2, 2014**

# Our Lady of Guadalupe Pro-Life Youth Award

**October 5, 2014**

Office for Pro-Life and Family Life  
1400 N. Meridian Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46202

Telephone 317-236-1569  
[rniemerg@archindy.org](mailto:rniemerg@archindy.org)

**The following high school student is being nominated for the  
Our Lady of Guadalupe Pro-Life Youth Award in 2014**

Please Print Name of Nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Nominee's  
Parish \_\_\_\_\_

Deanery \_\_\_\_\_

Check the title/role of the person making the nomination:

\_\_\_\_\_ Pastor \_\_\_\_\_ Associate Pastor \_\_\_\_\_ Parish Life Coordinator

\_\_\_\_\_ Pastoral Assistant \_\_\_\_\_ Parish Pro-Life Contact \_\_\_\_\_ DRE \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Minister

\_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

On a separate sheet of paper, state in a few paragraphs why this high school student should be recognized for his or her pro-life efforts. Keep in mind that the student should demonstrate leadership abilities in promoting the dignity and sanctity of human life in the parish community or in his or her school. Include a description of the student's pro-life activities.

Please note that many pro-life initiatives address abortion. However, youth involved with the terminally ill, handicapped, impoverished, neglected and marginalized should be considered for this award as well!

The above information and nomination paragraphs can also be email to Rebecca Niemerg at [rniemerg@archindy.org](mailto:rniemerg@archindy.org).

**Please return this form to the Pro-Life Office no later than September 2, 2014**



**Sunday**  
**Oct. 5, 2014**  
**2:00-3:30 P.M.**

## Join the 27<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL LIFE CHAIN!

- ❖ Stand with thousands of pro-lifers throughout the USA!  
You'll be a light in a darkened world as you help put an end to abortion through prayer!
- ❖ Bring your whole family! Rain or shine!
- ❖ Water, lawn chairs, umbrellas and strollers are welcome!
- ❖ Signs proclaim "Abortion Kills Children," "Adoption the Loving Option," "Jesus Forgives & Heals," "Lord, Forgive Us and Our Nation," "Abortion Hurts Women," "El Aborto Mata Ninos," "Life - the first Inalienable Right" and "Pray to End Abortion"
- ❖ Meet and Park behind Vigo County Court House.
- ❖ Stand 25-30 feet apart. Do not park in front of an open business.

See [www.LifeChain.net](http://www.LifeChain.net) for more than 1800 locations in 1500 cities and towns across the United States and Canada.

**See other side for Indiana Life Chain Locations.**

Some Indiana locations and coordinators may change.  
(Tom McBroom 812-841-0060)

**LIFE CHAIN** is a peaceful and prayerful public witness of pro-life Americans standing for one hour praying for our nation and for an end to abortion. It is a visual statement of solidarity by the Christian community that abortion kills children and that the Church supports the sanctity of human life from the moment of conception.

## Indiana Life Chain Locations

**BEDFORD** - W 16th St at State Rd 37S, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Judy Steich 812-277-1926  
**BLOOMINGTON** - 3rd St at High St, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Scott Tibbs 812-391-3430  
**BRAZIL** - Hwy 40 at Alabama St, 2:00 to 3:15 p.m.; Jeffery Etling 812-448-9147  
**CARMEL** - Rangeline Rd at 116th St, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; signs in front of Holy Family Bookstore; coordination needed for 2011  
**COLUMBIA CITY** - Main St (State Rd 9) at Van Buren St, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Debra Tomaszewski 260-213-4445  
**CONNERSVILLE** - 30th St at Park Rd, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Barbara Wagner 765-647-3154  
**COVINGTON** - Rt 136 at Liberty by Court House, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Reba Osborn 765-793-4439  
**DECATUR** - Monroe at 5th St, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.;  
**DELAWARE COUNTY / MUNCIE** - McGalliard Rd at 811 Plaza, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Sherry Whitesel 765-284-8428  
**ELKHART** - U.S. 33 at Mishawaka Rd (meet at Concord JH lot), 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Amy Wantz 574-534-2895  
**EVANSVILLE** - Green River Road at Lloyd Expy, 12:30 to 2:00 p.m.; Mary Ellen Van Dyke 812-474-3195  
**FRANKFORT / CLINTON COUNTY** - Wabash St (SR 28E) at Maish Rd, 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.; signs at Frankfort High School lot; Jim Guckien 765-659-3824  
**GREENCASTLE** - Washington St at College Ave, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Lori Lewis 765-653-7789  
**HARTFORD CITY** - SR 3 at SR 26, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Jen Holst 765-348-3514  
**HIGHLAND / MUNSTER / LANSING** - Ridge Rd between Burnham Ave and Indianapolis Blvd, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Annette Mellady 219-838-1138 Marsha Horak 219-924-8370  
**INDIANAPOLIS** - Meridian Street from Monument Circle to 38th Street, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Larry & Nora Hovee 317-882-7733  
**KOKOMO** - Markland St at Washington St, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Bob Clawson 765-883-4733  
**LAFAYETTE / TIPPECANOE COUNTY** - Court House on St Rd 26 to Purdue Campus, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Kristy Korchnak 765-714-9554  
**LEBANON** - Westside of Court House Square, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Chuck Williams 317-769-3871  
**MICHIGAN CITY** - Franklin St at Ripley, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Sheryll Werner 219-873-9084  
**MILAN** - Hwy 101 at Hwy 350, 2:30 to 4:00 p.m.; Ed King 812-744-3882  
**NOBLESVILLE** - Conner at 10th St, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Ken Waldron 317-776-3019  
**PLYMOUTH** - Michigan at Jefferson, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Darlene Edgecomb 574-935-5783  
**PORTAGE** - Central Avenue at Hamstrom Road to City Hall, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; signs at City Hall; Kathy Heckman 219-762-8393  
**ROCKPORT / SPENCER COUNTY** - Hwy 66 at Hwy 231, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Linda Smith 812-568-0008  
**TERRE HAUTE** - 3rd Street at Wabash, 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.; Tom McBroom 812-841-0060  
**VALPARAISO** - Roosevelt Road and Lincolnway, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Stacie Stolz 219-733-9645  
**WABASH** - Cass St at CMA Church, 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Jeni Friedersdorf 260-563-7275 or Karen Cole 765-833-9841  
**WARSAW** - Winona Ave at Buffalo St (SR 15), 2:00 to 3:00 p.m.; Dave Koontz 574-551-0239 or Right To Life office 574-267-3481  
**WESTFIELD** - SR 32 at Union St, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.; Katie Svec 317-774-7832



**ANNULMENTS;  
WHAT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH TEACHES**

*Why is an annulment necessary?  
What is the process? What does it mean?  
What are grounds for an annulment?*

**Interactive**

**Wednesday, October 22, 2014  
7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Eastern Standard Time**

**The Catholic Center, Assembly Hall  
1400 North Meridian Street  
Indianapolis, Indiana**

*No Cost*

**Presenters:**

**Ann Tully, Judge Instructor  
Mary Ellen Hauck, Judge Instructor  
Metropolitan Tribunal**

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