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**1** Which local Catholic schools did Gina Kuntz-Fleming, this year's Catholic Person of the Year attend before college?

- A. St. Mark's and Cardinal Ritter
- B. Holy Name and Roncalli
- C. St. Jude and Cathedral
- D. St. Roch and Roncalli

**2** What is the name of the German-American Klub's dance group, performing in next week's Oktoberfest?

- A. Edelweiss
- B. Rathkamp German Folk Dancers
- C. die Fledermauschen Tanzgruppe
- D. D'Oberlandler

**3** Music on Main is hosted by which Beech Grove organization?

- A. Beech Grove Historical Society
- B. Beech Grove Lions Club
- C. Beech Grove Lodge #694 F. & A.M.
- D. Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce

**4** Which local superintendent appeared on The Weather Channel earlier this month?

- A. Gina Kuntz-Fleming
- B. Kent DeKoninck
- C. Paul Kaiser
- D. Pat Mapes

**5** Which classic movie from the 1970s does Grammar Guy admit to knowing very little?

- A. Star Wars
- B. Taxi Driver
- C. Halloween
- D. The Godfather



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## THIS WEEK on the WEB



### Johnson County Parks & Recreation receives Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation grant

The Johnson County Parks & Recreation Department has been awarded \$24,438 from the Christopher & Dana Reeve Foundation National Paralysis Resource Center (PRC) High Impact Priority Quality of Life Grants and Direct Effect grants cycles. The Quality of Life Grants Program supports nonprofit organizations that empower individuals living with paralysis. The Johnson County Parks & Recreation Department will use the grant for the Independence Park Playground Remodeling Project.

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Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce President and CEO Christian Maslowski (pictured) will serve as president of Aspire Economic Development + Chamber Alliance and JCDC Executive Director and CEO Dana Monson will be vice president of economic development. (Photo by Hiron Creative Services)

### Greater Greenwood Chamber and Johnson County Development Corporation announce merger

Representatives from the Greater Greenwood Chamber of Commerce and Johnson County Development Corporation (JCDC) met last Thursday to announce an approved merger of the two organizations and launch Aspire Economic Development + Chamber Alliance. Chambers and other development agencies across the U.S. are joining forces to amplify the reach and impact of their complementary efforts.

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### FOR THE RECORD ANNIVERSARY



### Donald and Norma Gardner celebrate 70th anniversary

Donald and Norma (McKinney) Gardner, of Indianapolis, will celebrate their 70th anniversary on Aug. 27. The Gardners married at Norma's parents' home in Indianapolis on Aug. 27, 1949. Norma's sister, Joan (McKinney) Watt, was her maid of honor. Donald is retired from Gardner's Auto Repair. Norma is retired from Systems Media. They have two children, Brenda (Jerry) Lewis of Indianapolis and Donnie (Tina) Gardner of Trafalgar; two grandchildren, Tina (Tony) Delph and Trey Gardner; and four great-granddaughters, Tiarra, Tirzah, Tarryn and Tristyn Delph. The Gardners will celebrate these 70 years together with family and dinner at Rick's Boatyard.

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Removing Dillinger's body from the McCready Funeral Home in Chicago for transport back to Indiana. (Submitted photos)

## Digging up Dillinger: An addendum

### HAUNTS & JAUNTS

By Rick Hinton

When the construction of I-70 wiped out John Dillinger's inner-city boyhood home at 2052 Cooper Ave. it also wiped out any possibility of a future shrine to the Indianapolis-born criminal. When his body was transferred from the McCready Funeral Home in Chicago back to his teenage years' town of Mooresville, IN, the E.F. Harvey Funeral Home was awaiting his arrival. The rumors had already begun – was it really Dillinger? Relatives – and the History Channel – are looking for answers.

Dillinger's nephew, Mike Thompson, made the request for exhumation on June 24. Niece Carol Thompson also filed an affidavit. The permit was approved July 3, with the exhumation scheduled for mid-September. Forensic testing was to determine a "positive identification." The proceedings were to be filmed and photographed, and the body reinterred the same day.

Thompson claims he was presented with evidence that the man shot and killed may not have been his uncle John. Presented with evidence? By whom ... the History Channel? There's nothing new here; these stories have been around for years. "It's my belief and opinion that it is critical to learn whether he lived beyond his reported date of death of July 22, 1934," he said. However, not all relatives agree.

Nephew Jeff Scalf lives in the Dillinger home in Mooresville. He believes that it is indeed Dillinger residing in Crown Hill Cemetery. He has denied requests in the past to exhume the body. He sees no benefit and finds the whole affair "disrespectful and shameful." "Unless somebody was successful in robbing the grave, that's John!" he claimed. For these cousins, I expect no

Thanksgiving meals together anytime soon or a Christmas card exchange.

All along there have been rumblings that the exhumation might not occur in or around Sept. 16. That has currently become a fact. Crown Hill is now speaking, stating:

*Crown Hill objects to the exhumation of John Dillinger. We have a duty to the families we serve to ensure the safety and integrity of the Cemetery which is threatened by the proposed exhumation. We also have concerns that the complex and commercial nature of this exhumation could cause disruption to the peaceful tranquility of the Cemetery and those who are visiting to remember their loved ones. Additionally, we received notice that not all of Mr. Dillinger's next of kin agree with the exhumation. We honor the trust placed in us to protect all individuals in our care, and to protect the interests of those who cannot speak for themselves.*

Mike and Carol Thompson have filed a lawsuit asking a court for the exhumation to proceed, feeling the cemetery changed its mind after the permit was approved. The exhumation, however, is not affiliated with a criminal investigation, so I imagine Crown Hill can take whatever stand it wants. Maybe they took a good hard listen to Jeff Scalf? Maybe they don't want the media circus? And of the History Channel? How long before they lose interest and move on?

Lawsuits can take some time to resolve. We'll see how it all plays out.



Rick Hinton, a Southport resident, loves researching things that go bump in the night. His articles can be read on Facebook: Rick Hinton, Southport Paranormal Examiner. Hinton conducts paranormal investigations with his team, South Central Paranormal.

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1. Many vendors ready to educate the community in their products. 2. Micheal McGraw and Ericka Beck have a fun time at Music on Main. 3. Local band, 90 Proof performs on stage during Music on Main. (Photos by Angela Morefield)

## Music on Main attracts local businesses & Beech Grove community

By Angela Morefield

Hundreds of cheerful visitors spent last Saturday evening attending a fun, family-friendly event. Music on Main is an annual event hosted by The Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce. "Music on Main is an important event for the chamber; not only does it promote local business, it is a free event that brings the community together," said Executive Director of The Greater Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce, Renee Harlor.

Visitors brought lawn chairs and gathered around the stage for the summer concert. The upbeat music of Tony Walker and the 2nd Half Band, 90 Proof and Full Moon Dogs inspired attendees to dance in the streets. Food trucks, including Dem Kentucky Boyz BBQ and Kona Ice, provided meals and drinks to quench everyone's taste buds.

Children enjoyed the kids zone, featuring a bounce house and face painting. Around 40 vendors attended, selling unique arts and crafts, jewelry, health products and more. For more information please visit [beechgrovechamber.org/music-on-main](http://beechgrovechamber.org/music-on-main).



German-American Klub's Oktoberfest, which typically attracts around 5,000 visitors each year, will be held Sept. 5-7. (Submitted photo)

## 'Entering another world'

German-American Klub of Indianapolis hosts 45th annual Oktoberfest

### FEATURE

By Nancy Price

Craving some bratwurst, potato pancakes and German lagers?

Visitors planning to attend German-American Klub's annual three-day Oktoberfest next week will not be disappointed in the variety of German traditions, including authentic food, drinks, attire, music and dancing.

"I think first-time attendees will be surprised at the variety of food offerings and the variety of beers that will be available in the park as well as the Edelweiss Restaurant," said Patty Johns, chairman of Oktoberfest. "It's like entering another world. You can't help but get wrapped up in the German tradition that is Oktoberfest."

"We are the only festival in the area featuring Claus' original frickadellen, a German patty that resembles a burger, but with a distinct and wonderful flavor from pork, beef and veal and spices," added Travis Jerde, vice president of Cultural and Membership Affairs of Oktoberfest. "We also have the Kassler Ripchen, a smoked pork chop, slow smoked port and outstanding heirloom German potato salad recipe. We think that visitors will also be surprised to see and taste our vegetarian offerings, including Beyond Meat Bratwursts and pat-

ties. There is something for everyone and we don't sacrifice the culture in order to provide it.

"For the first time this year, the Munich Brewery Paulaner will be sponsoring our pavilion and providing their outstanding and authentic line of beers for our guests. In addition to the Oktoberfest Marzen, we'll be carrying their original helles lager, hefeweizen and the Salvator Doppelbock. We'll still have the Warsteiner beers available too, as we have in past years. The MashCraft Biergarten at the Edelweiss will feature Braumeister Andrew Castner's Special 'Tease' Vienna Lager and an IPA for those preferring a hoppier taste than what the malty German lagers provide."

Not a beer fan? Oktoberfest has added a weingarten this year, featuring Buck Winery selections, including Road House Red, Road House White, Cabernet Sauvignon and Der Champion Riesling. "For the true connoisseurs, they should try Buck Creek's Single Barrel Reserve: a unique vintage blend of reds, especially selected for a bold and complex favor," Jerde added. Guests can also try a Sahn Slipper, invented by Paul Sahn.

Entertainment includes the German-American Klub's official dance group (and the only German folk dance group in the state), die Fledermauschen Tanzgruppe. For more information, including an entertainment schedule and restaurant menu, go to [indianapolisgak.com](http://indianapolisgak.com).

The German-American Klub

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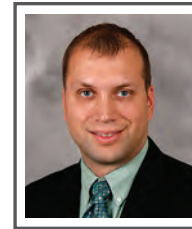
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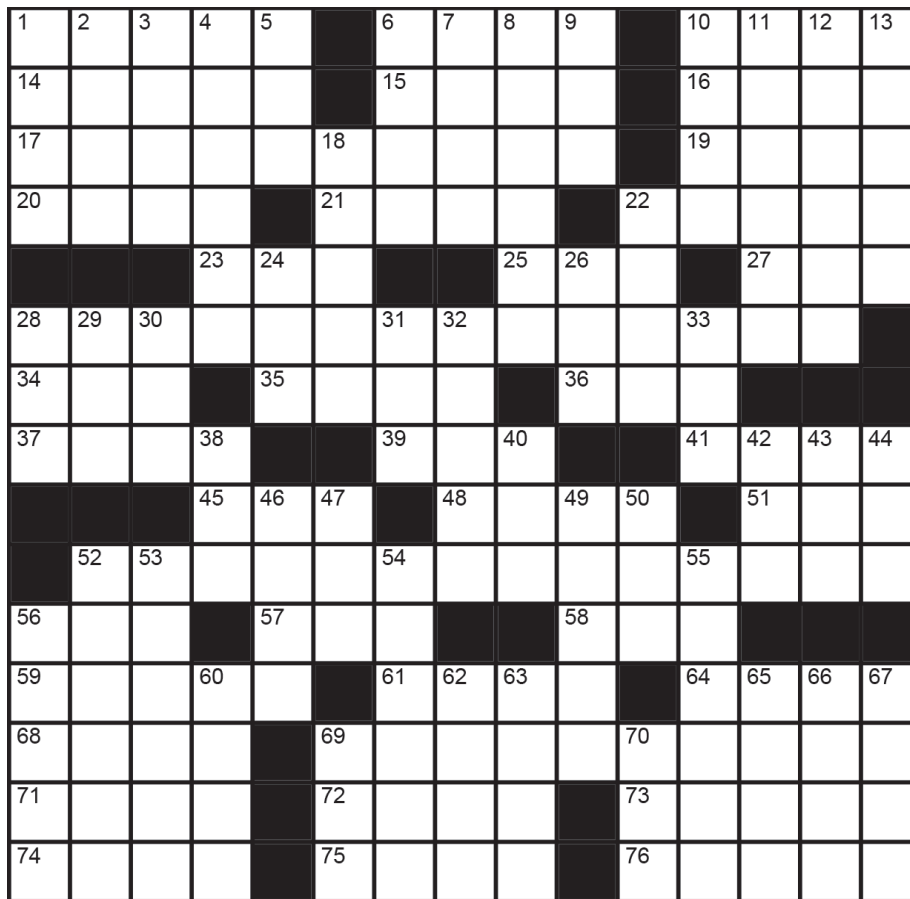
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- 10. Murat Theatre boosters
- 14. Pledges
- 15. White River fishing gear
- 16. Air show stunt
- 17. Good name for a lawn care business
- 19. Awaken
- 20. Church area
- 21. Foam ball brand
- 22. Nary a soul
- 23. Bikini top
- 25. Krzysztof Urbanski's grp.
- 27. Indiana map abbr.
- 28. Good name for a window company
- 34. Johnson County Fair barn sound
- 35. Four-letter US city with the highest population
- 36. Thirsty Turtle bill
- 37. Door part
- 39. Blond shade
- 41. Surfer's stop
- 45. Cloth scrap
- 48. "Phooey!"
- 51. WTHR's *Days of \_\_\_ Lives*
- 52. Good name for a restaurant specializing in spicy chicken fare
- 56. Eagle Creek rowing need
- 57. Penny head
- 58. Org. for Colts and Cowboys
- 59. Light refractor
- 61. Pixie powder
- 64. Kick back
- 68. Lake Haven campground sight
- 69. Good name for a Chinese take-out place
- 71. Tense
- 72. Nabisco nosh
- 73. Backhoe brand
- 74. Community Hospital medicine amount
- 75. Stinging insect



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- 2. 25-Across instrument
- 3. Chase PIN requesters
- 4. *Friends* role
- 5. Greenwood-to-Evansville dir.
- 6. Deco designer
- 7. Shakespearean king
- 8. Pic from a stick
- 9. Pipe bend

- 10. In addition
- 11. Part of GM
- 12. Spurlock Center scoreboard count
- 13. Shopping binge
- 18. Absurd
- 22. "The Big Easy"
- 24. Nicoson Hall backboard attachment
- 26. Ind. National Guard rank
- 28. Kid's sandwich, for short
- 29. Small battery
- 30. '60s war zone

- 31. IND screeners
- 32. "He \_\_\_ got a clue"
- 33. Belly muscles, briefly
- 38. "It's freezing!"
- 40. Mellencamp album: "Uh-\_\_\_"
- 42. WIPX network
- 43. Yank
- 44. IU Health trauma ctrs.
- 46. Colts kicker Vinatieri
- 47. Goopy lump
- 49. Extra inning at Victory Field
- 50. Personal ad letters
- 52. Texas border town
- 53. Round gaskets
- 54. Indiana Jones' hat
- 55. "Maybe"
- 56. Chose
- 60. Eyelid woe
- 62. Luau strings
- 63. Main Street road sign
- 65. Spencer's county
- 66. Animal fat
- 67. Caustic stuff
- 69. "Awesome!"
- 70. Broad Ripple bouncers' requests



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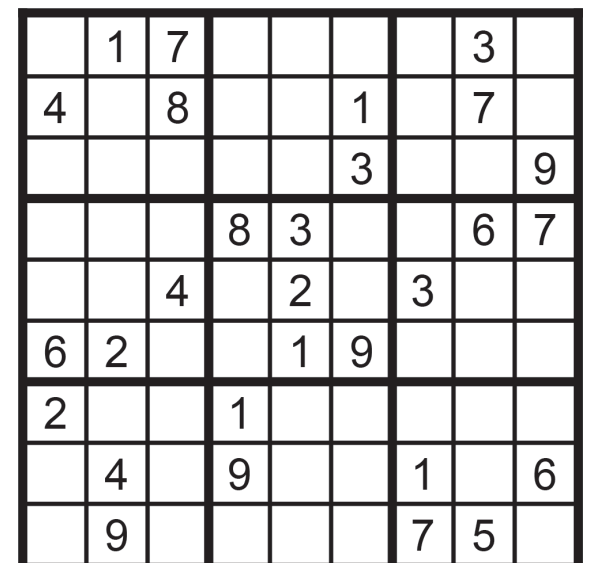
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## A teacher of teachers

**Superintendent of Catholic Schools Gina Kuntz-Fleming named Catholic Person of the Year**

By Stephanie Dolan

Gina Kuntz-Fleming grew up on the Southside. She attended Holy Name Catholic School, graduated from Roncalli High School and got her degree from what was then Marian College (now Marian University). She spent time as a principal and an assistant superintendent before finally becoming Superintendent of Catholic Schools, her current position, seven years ago.

"My primary responsibility is to provide support to pastors and school leaders to help them in serving students and families as well," she said. "I also serve as a delegate of the archbishop as we strive to ensure that all schools are providing quality Catholic education and formation of young people."

This year, she has been named Catholic Person of the Year by Catholic Business Network.

"I'm incredibly humbled," she said. "I've grown up knowing that I stand on the shoulders of giants, and it's because of who God is and who he has placed in my life that I have been able to accomplish anything. I really feel like I'm being honored more as a representative of so many individuals who have made an amazing impact on the lives of others, and I've just had the pleasure and blessing of being a very small part of that."

### Living by example

Ben Brown, chairperson of the Catholic Business Network's Inspirational Insights, said that Kuntz-Fleming's tireless involvement and dedication to education, as well as her unwavering embodiment of faith, were

all taken into consideration for the award.

"There is usually a list of several worthy candidates; we take so many factors into consideration," he said. "A few traits that must be present are, but not limited to, how one lives out their faith, in word and in deed, and one's commitment and contribution to the education of our youth. When putting all of these things together, Gina rose to the top. She embodies everything this award is about and what the Catholic Business Network encourages its members to be, keepers of the faith in all aspects of our lives and being Christian, being Catholic, which does not stop at our parish footsteps."

Kuntz-Fleming, 48, is the youngest of nine children. She is married with two children of her own.

Her parents have passed, but she credits them with providing the example that she lives by today.

"First of all, they are most certainly my first teachers, and they were amazing parents and amazing examples of our faith in action," she said. "Anything I've learned about God's love, grace and charity all

really stem from their incredible example."

Kuntz-Fleming's father was executive director of Catholic Youth Organization and prior to that had been a teacher and a coach.

"So, he certainly was a great example," she said. "My mom was what we could call today a domestic engineer. She too really taught me the importance of discipline and prioritizing the values of faith, family and education above all else."

"I've had great examples of teachers in my life," Kuntz-Fleming said. "My sister Susie was a teacher as well – she's six years older than I and has been a great example for me."

Kuntz-Fleming also said she feels she's a teacher of teachers.

"I'm very grateful for the opportunity to teach teachers and leaders what it means to be an effective Catholic school leader and minister of the faith," she said.

### Faith, family and education

"I think the most important role my husband and I play in raising our children is really striving to get them to heaven," she said.

"So kind of passing on that same model of valuing faith, family and education is something I hope my boys will always take with them and as part of that faith, knowing that God loves us completely

and gives us everything we need to be able to use our gifts well and our job is to figure out how to best use those gifts to honor and glorify him. I pray that my boys have used the examples in their lives to treat everyone with dignity and respect, valuing different perspectives and feeling confident and comfortable in their own skin to be able to share their faith journey and their gifts willingly."

Kuntz-Fleming also said that her boys have also been positive examples for her as well.

"I have to say that our sons have taught me so much about what it means to be a good Christian person. They love and care so deeply, and the way that they just approach life with enthusiasm and joy is a daily reminder to me of how blessed I am."

Another great example in her life is her husband.

"So, interestingly, my husband is not Catholic, and he's one of the best examples of Christ's love, certainly Christ's forgiveness, and just generosity, kindness, compassion, charity – he's been such a great example for me in that regard," Kuntz-Fleming said. "I think our marriage has taught me the power of being unified in values in a way that help us stand strong against sort of cultural norms that may make it easy to kind of not prioritize the way that we've been taught."

Above all, Kuntz-Fleming is honored to be Catholic Person of the Year.

"I'm incredibly grateful to CBN for this honor," she said. "I would say, too, that I thank God daily for the opportunity to live in a country where religious freedom is upheld and to be a part of the Catholic church who takes broken lives and makes them whole and who makes Christ present in the world."



Gina Kuntz-Fleming is the Superintendent of Catholic Schools. (Photo by Neal Smith)



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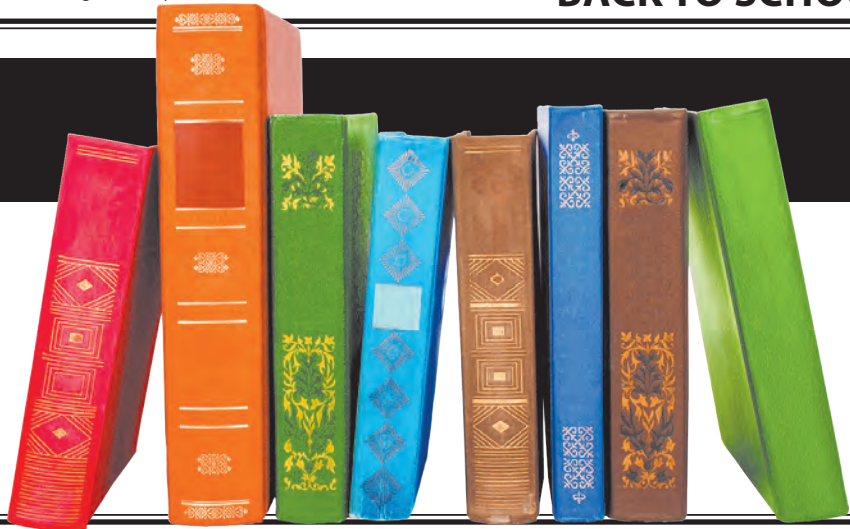
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We are blessed with students who come ready to learn, pray and serve; who may fall but will get back up again; who will collectively contribute over 40,000 volunteer service hours to our community this school year; who practice daily what it means to be active leaders, engaged citizens and compassionate contributors.

We are blessed, too, with faculty and staff who ignite our schools with a renewed spirit and a positive view of their students and their goals; who give selflessly day after day to all children whom they are called to teach; who provide a safe and welcoming en-

vironment for all; who teach students respect for self and others.

We are blessed with parents and guardians who entrust us with their children’s educational formation; who partner with us in their children’s faith and moral development; who choose our schools specifically as an extension of their home where children can grow and prosper.

Thanks to legislative support of parental choice, families of nearly every zip code in the Archdiocese of Indianapolis find Catholic schools to be affordable and accessible. If you are interested in learning more about how Catholic schools educate and form young people, or if you wish to see the blessings of our Catholic schools firsthand, please visit us at [archindy.org](http://archindy.org) or schedule an appointment at a Catholic school near you.

**Gina Kuntz Fleming**  
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# Welcome back to school!

Southside Catholic school principals welcome students and share about the coming year:

EDITOR’S NOTE: ST. BARNABAS SCHOOL HAS ELECTED NOT TO PARTICIPATE.



Pre-K students David and Josue learn about dinosaurs. (Submitted photo)

Greetings from Central Catholic School! We are welcoming the 2019-2020 school year with excitement and anticipation as our school continues to grow. Our path to excellence has been recognized by the Department of Education with the award of our School Letter Grade “B!” While we are pleased with this growth, we are not satisfied. This year, our theme of “It’s Time!” can be seen as we seek out ways to excel toward our goals of college and heaven.

Our staff has adopted Leonardo Da Vinci’s words, “Ancora Imparo,” which means “I am always learning.” Whether it was at conferences in California or closer to home, most staff members engaged in some sort of professional development over the summer. Working with our partners at the University of Notre Dame and across the country, we are focusing our efforts on best practices with literacy across all grades and subjects. Students are benefitting from our efforts with one-to-one technology in grades 3-8 and enhanced classroom libraries which meet the diverse interests of our students.

Last year, we completed the first

building addition since 1974, and our new classrooms are giving our youngest students room to grow and excel in spaces designed especially for them. Our new STEM Lab is giving all students opportunities to experiment with new equipment, including 3D printing and classic woodworking tools. Outside of the classroom, students have multiple extracurricular options, including football, kickball, cross country, basketball, volleyball, wrestling, chess, soccer, track and field, band, choir and orchestra. We also have opportunities for students to participate in Spell Bowl, the Quest for Excellence and STEM Day.

Please join us for our upcoming Our Lady of Guadalupe Celebration on Thursday, Dec. 12, 2019. We also invite alumni of Central Catholic, St. Catherine, St. James, Holy Rosary, Sacred Heart and St. Patrick to speak at our morning assembly to share your journey toward college and heaven. Please contact the school office for more information (317) 783-7759. *Go Saints!*

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Eighth-graders from Holy Name Catholic School. (Submitted photo)

Welcome to the 2019-2020 school year! After a busy summer, we are so glad to have the smiling, eager faces of our students back in the building. We are off to a great start with our new eighth graders taking part in a leadership retreat at Camp Rando Framasa; they are ready to be positive student leaders for our school. We have welcomed over 35 new students this year, and still have room for more! Our school theme is "Make Christ Present in the World." We are working to live that out through our daily interactions and service throughout our school and

community. Among other new things at Holy Name is our new STEM lab. Through a grant from the Shea Foundation we have completely renovated our existing computer lab, received 30 new Chromebooks, a 3D printer, LEGO kits, raw materials for Makerspace and classroom furniture. We have wasted no time getting down to what we do best – creating lifelong learners committed to knowing, loving and serving God. It is a great time to be a Holy Name Giant!

Amy Wright, PRINCIPAL

Holy Name Catholic School



AROUND TOWN

**Indianapolis Public Library locations to close for Labor Day**

**Holiday closing** – All Indianapolis Public Library locations will be closed on Monday, Sep. 2 in observance of Labor Day, except the InfoZone, located within The Children's Museum at 3000 N. Meridian St., which will be open from 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

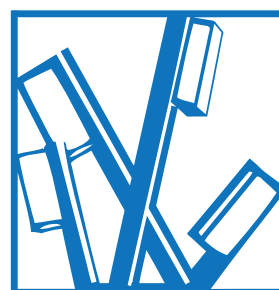


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**Senators Young and Braun to host Academy Day**

**Academy Day** – Indiana senators Todd Young and Mike Braun are partnering with Indiana representatives Greg Pence and Susan Brooks to host Marion County Academy Day on Sept. 5 at 6 p.m. at the Naval Operations Support office, 9801 E. 59th St., Indianapolis. Academy Day will include informational sessions for current high school students interested in attending one of the U.S. Military Service Academies. Senator Young will be addressing the students via video. For complete details on the academy nomination process, go to [young.senate.gov/help/academy-nominations](http://young.senate.gov/help/academy-nominations).



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Top, Lenton Holy Thursday dramatization put on by eighth-graders. | Bottom, every student in school wore their "Hearts for Haiti" T-shirts during Catholic Schools Week. (Submitted photos)

From sacraments to sports events and from incredible learning opportunities to all-school assemblies, this year promises to be one filled with possibilities to grow spiritually, academically and socially. Our Back-to-School Open House on Sunday, Aug. 4 kicked off the beginning of our school year with great excitement! Our first school liturgy on Friday, Aug. 9 rounded off a perfect first week!

The entire OLG community strives to live as disciples of Jesus Christ. Our families come from all parts of Johnson

County and Southern Marion County, from different socioeconomic levels, and from a myriad of professions; but the one thing all agree upon is the importance of Jesus Christ as the center of all that is said and done at Our Lady of the Greenwood School.

We are always happy to share what is happening at Our Lady of the Greenwood Catholic School. Contact Principal Kent Clady at [kclady@ol-g.org](mailto:kclady@ol-g.org) to find out more.

**Kent Clady, PRINCIPAL**

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Nathan Halla, Dillon Welt, Brynn Berry, Hannah Ervin, Christopher Silva, Sophia Crooke and Johnny Kitley show their love for Clifford the Big Red Dog. (Submitted photo)

The beginning of a new school year always holds such excitement and promise. For Nativty Catholic School, it is an annual rite of passage, where we open our doors and share our hopes and dreams for the coming school year with our community. I speak for the Nativty faculty and staff when I say, what a blessing and a privilege it is to serve our students, their families and our community. Nativty – where anything is possible and the sky's the limit – especially if you are a Titan!

This is the time of year when we identify our goals and determine how we will expend our time, energy and resources to best serve our students. Nativty School is celebrating the fourth year of our Leader in Me journey! The Leader in Me is a process that incorporates habits for success into all parts of our school day. Those habits help develop the whole person: mind, body, heart and spirit. In addition, those habits recognize that there is greatness in every student and staff member at Nativty - keeping in mind that greatness does not always mean heroic, but more often can be as simple as having strong faith, character, or unique talents. For every child, there are opportunities every day for using and nurturing those unique gifts and talents that make each one great. The Leader in Me is not a "program" but is a "process." It is an underlying philosophy that, joined with our Sacred Catholic Faith, will positively impact all areas of our school. It's not an "extra subject," but a way of thinking that is woven into our already existing school day. You will hear our students saying things like, "Let's put first things first and do homework before we play!" or "Let's not argue. How can we make this a win-win situation?" You will notice as you walk in the front doors of our school that things feel different, special

and accepting. And most importantly, our students grow into the leaders that we always knew he or she would be! Indeed, it is truly our mission. ...

Nativty Catholic School will LEAD through:

- Love rooted in Christ.
- Education focused on academic excellence and service to others.
- Achievement through personal effort and perseverance.
- Development of mind, body and spirit.

We are so excited to begin our second year with our STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics) Lab! The library has been transformed into a part-time STEM lab, with new collaborative-learning desks and stools that are designed to make our learning space interactive and innovative beyond the feel of the traditional classroom setting. Nativty students have an opportunity to be engineers this school year as they brainstorm blueprints and build things from scratch using various materials. Students work with iPads and computer programs to build upon their coding schema already studied in the technology lab and will have a chance to work with programming and generating robot activity! Through research, observation, experimenting, calculating, measuring and exploring, these future scientists will tap into countless skills with endless possibilities!

As we walk the path to excellence during 2019-2020, we welcome you to visit our campus to meet our amazing faith-filled student leaders and witness our amazing academic accomplishments! Contact our principal, Ms. Terri Bianchini, via email at [tbianchini@natiivtyindy.org](mailto:tbianchini@natiivtyindy.org) or phone at (317) 357-1459.

**Terri Bianchini, PRINCIPAL**

## Nativty Catholic School



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## READERS' WRITES

## Thanks to our workforce

I wanted to take a minute and thank all of the men and women who go to work every single day for the city of Beech Grove. This coming Monday is Labor Day, and our hats are off to all of you. In our beautiful city, there are more opportunities for meaningful employment that we have seen in a long time. Soon we hope to announce even more employment opportunities for good paying jobs. Again, a tip of the hat to all of you!

*Respectfully Submitted,*

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## AROUND TOWN



### South Grove Intermediate School's student council collects 500 pounds of plastic bottle caps

**Recycling** – South Grove Intermediate School's student council and their families collected over 500 pounds of plastic bottle caps. The student council and other students sorted, cleaned, weighed and bagged all 500 pounds of caps. The caps were taken to Green Tree Plastics in Evansville, IN, where students and staff picked up two orange and black benches made from plastic caps. Thanks to everyone that collected caps so that students can enjoy the benches for years to come.

### BGCS superintendent appears on The Weather Channel

**The Weather Channel** – Beech Grove City School's Superintendent Dr. Paul Kaiser appeared on The Weather Channel, a national news channel, earlier this month. Dr. Kaiser discussed the damage to Beech Grove High School when a tornado hit the school on June 16 and recovery efforts from the community. The first interview was via phone (the Skype connection was faulty) and the second was via Skype.



Top, John Wardzala celebrates a sack during a football game vs. Bloomington South. | Bottom, student performers during the Roncalli production of *Guys and Dolls*. (Submitted photos)

Roncalli High School continues to offer young people and their families a life-changing experience that propels them on a path for success in life!

Guided by our Catholic faith and bolstered by a tradition of academic and extracurricular excellence, Roncalli is not so much an academic institution as much as it is a transformational institution. RHS principal, Chuck Weisenbach, commented, "We truly believe that the experience that awaits all students at our school is transformational! When you allow the Holy Spirit to be a vibrant part of your daily life, one cannot help but to be transformed. We have worked very hard to attract and retain some of the state's finest, most passionate, faith-filled educators! They are the ones that work daily with students, in and out of the classroom, helping them in their efforts to discern their talents, develop their talents and share their talents with the world. When done well, we are helping to make the world a better place while building up God's kingdom here on Earth."

Roncalli is proud to offer the most comprehensive academic programming for any faith-based school in our state. The school offers rigorous, challenging coursework for students of all academic

levels, including students with special needs as well as those seeking training for post-secondary vocational opportunities. It truly lives out its mission to be a life prep school!

Students find joy, fulfillment and life-impacting experiences through a dynamic performing arts program and a highly respected and successful athletic program, as well as a plethora of wide-ranging clubs!

To assist in their understanding of the Biblical message that it is better to give than to receive, all students complete a minimum of 144 hours of community service by the time they graduate. Most of these hours are spent serving those less fortunate in and around central Indiana. The overwhelming majority of our graduates far exceed the required number of 144 hours.

Roncalli is a welcoming community whose overarching mission is to help each person in our school and school family (students, faculty, staff, parents, etc.) in their daily walk with Christ. I invite and encourage all parents to consider Roncalli as they explore high school options for their child!

**Chuck Weisenbach, PRINCIPAL**

Roncalli High School

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Top, a bathroom mural displays school values. | Bottom, eighth-grade students earn their service shirts. (Submitted photos)

Greetings from St. Jude: St. Jude was able to welcome students back to school with not only a new gym floor and many completed construction projects, but also some additional artwork to help improve the looks throughout the school! Our theme for 2019-2020 is "We are the Hands of God," and we have already had children using their hands throughout the summer. With the leadership of our school Social Worker, Mrs. Tuttle, students volunteered their time and talent by painting three bathrooms to help put a smile on the faces of our students! The front of the school also has a new visual for our school theme. Student volunteers helped create signs and stepping stones to show the different ways we can work for God.

St. Jude students look forward to using their hands to help one another throughout the community, but students

are putting their hands to work academically as well. We continue to advance our focus and resources in the areas of STEM, Robotics and Google Classroom. Critical thinking and problem solving are of increased focus for the students and teachers here as we continue to develop 21st century learners.

St. Jude has also finally realized a long-time goal of adding an Early Childhood Learning Ministry to the Parish. Aug. 7 marked the opening day for our first class of preschool and pre-K students. After remodeling the old Parish Center, St. Jude was finally ready to expand the student body to include a younger crowd with classes for 3- and 4-year-olds. We are so excited to increase our offerings and continue to grow. Welcome back, St. Jude! *Go Raiders!*

Beth Meece, PRINCIPAL

St. Jude Catholic School



Roncalli Welcomes Father Douglas Hunter, Chaplain Coordinator



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- The Class of 2019 completed 65,400 hours of community service during their four years at Roncalli, which averages over 205 hours per senior.
- In the past 25 years, Roncalli students have collected more than 2 million canned food items for the poor.
- Over 100 students participate in our comprehensive special needs resource program STARS – which addresses the needs of students with learning and physical disabilities.

Take a closer look.  
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## IN OUR SCHOOLS



### Roncalli and Franklin Central high schools compete in Chick-Fil-A challenge

**Fundraiser** – Roncalli High School and Franklin Central High School are competing in the annual Chick-Fil-A challenge to see which school can eat more chicken. Twenty percent of all sales will be donated to either Roncalli or Franklin Central when you dine at the Southport Chick-Fil-A located at 5240 E. Southport Road, through this Friday, Aug. 30 until 2 p.m. The school that raises the most money throughout the week will be crowned this year's Chick-Fil-A Challenge Champion and will be presented with a trophy at the Roncalli vs. Franklin Central game this Friday, Aug. 30. Each time you eat at the Southport Chick-Fil-A, you must say your school when ordering or put "FCHS" or "RHS" in the special instructions note when ordering with your CFA One App.



### Roncalli to host 50-year homecoming celebration

**Homecoming** – Roncalli High School will host its 50-year homecoming celebration Sept. 27 at 7 p.m. at halftime during a home football game against Brebeuf Jesuit High School. Roncalli's 25th and 50th classes will be recognized. Awards will be given for Alumni of the Year, Honorary Alumni and Spirit of Family. After presentations, homecoming festivities will continue under the big tent with food, drink and a live band performance by local favorite, Tastes Like Chicken. This is an over-21 gathering. Tickets to the tent party are \$10, which includes food and band. Beverages will also be available for purchase. To purchase tickets to the tent party, please contact Gary Armbruster at (317) 787-8277 ext. 242 or email [garmbruster@roncalli.org](mailto:garmbruster@roncalli.org).



St. Mark has grown to 437 students from pre-kindergarten through eighth grade. (Submitted photo)

At St. Mark Catholic School we include God in everything we do. In the classroom, in the hallways, at recess, at lunch and at Mass. We are a Catholic school that strives to live by our Catholic faith in how we treat others, the service we do for those in need and the words that we say to people we meet. We are proud to be a Catholic school that has been on the corner of U.S 31. and Edgewood Avenue for over 71 years!

Our school is one of the fastest-growing schools in the Archdiocese of Indianapolis for the last four years in a row. We are an A grade school that continues to show academic improvement and achievement with one of the most diverse student populations in the state. Our students and staff are made up of people from 17 countries and represent four continents. St. Mark Catholic School is a place where our main goal is to increase each student's relationship with God.

This year St. Mark Catholic School has grown to 437 students in pre-kindergarten through eighth grade. Our teachers prepare lessons that are differentiated so that every child, at all levels, grow in their academics and are prepared. We have many fun enrichments such as band, robotics, service club, drama, Spring Musical, chess club, choir and much more. Our students participate in all of the CYO sports and our teachers and staff help coach some of the CYO teams!

At St. Mark Catholic School our small school setting allows students from different backgrounds to build positive, Christian friendships that

last a lifetime. Our older students are "prayer partners" for the younger students where they attend our all-school Mass together and do other activities with each other throughout the school year to help grow in their faith.

New this year, we have added a four-teacher intervention team whose primary responsibility is to work with all students to help them achieve academic and spiritual growth throughout the school year. We have two full-time special education teachers and two full-time ESL (English as a second language) teachers that make up our intervention team. This team works alongside the classroom teacher as an extra person to allow smaller class size ratio and give individual attention to those students that need it.

We are blessed in many ways. Our students' parents are involved in their children's education and partner with us to ensure that the learning is continued at home. Our parents also have the same level of expectation for behavior, work ethic and faith growth for their children when they are away from school as we do when they are at St. Mark Catholic School.

If you want to learn more about St. Mark Catholic School, call the school office at (317) 786-4013 and Mrs. Leszcynski will answer any questions you have and set up a tour. You can also email Mr. Albertson at: [ralbertson@st-markind.org](mailto:ralbertson@st-markind.org). We look forward to seeing you at St. Mark Catholic School where "All are Welcome!"

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St. Mark Catholic School





Top, Father Hunter saying a school Mass. | Bottom, Mr. G's fourth-grade class enjoys some playground time. (Submitted photos)

St. Roch Catholic School is excited to begin the 2019-2020 school year. We are happy to have Father Douglas Hunter returning as our pastor. The students love when he plays football at recess and gives them hugs and high fives after mass.

We are blessed with loving, hard-working students, supportive parents and a staff that is out of this world. Our teachers and support staff work hard every day to make our students feel loved and appreciated so that they can learn and grow. Our building is alive with love and laughter, and I am blessed to call this wonderful school my home.

Our theme for this school year is *The Journey Makes us One*. This school year we are finding joy in our journey to-

gether. The students are writing poems and prayers to remind them that we are all on a journey together, and we have each other for support and celebration. We count our blessings each day and begin each day with gratitude for all that God has given to us.

As we continue to celebrate our school, we will continue to follow our motto: *Trust God, Work Hard and Work Together*. If you are interested in learning more about St. Roch Catholic School or would like to schedule a tour, please call the school office at (317) 784-9144. We will begin tours for next school year in October.

God bless,  
Amy Wilson, PRINCIPAL

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Saints Francis and Clare of Assisi school welcomed back our students on Aug. 1. In addition to the academic excellence, our school offers, our faith and ability to live out the Gospel during our school year is at the core of our existence. The common values and belief systems that our families share unite us as a close community of faith-filled learners.

We are excited to begin the year as a Professional Learning Community school! Our foundation rests on our mission, vision, values and goals. These four pillars will be the driving force to continue to lead us beyond excellence in the coming year.

This summer the school's leadership team attended a workshop that will assist the school in their journey as a PLC school. The purpose of this structure will help ensure that all of our students continue to learn, grow and exceed at high levels.

All staff came together in July for

two days of professional development for training in Lucy Calkins Units of Study for Reading and Writing. This program has been in pilot phases in grades K – 2 and will continue on for the 2019-2020 year with full implementation in grades K – 8.

Recently our school participated in a safety audit through the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. We were commended by them and given an overall rating of excellent. Many of the practices we are currently using have helped us provide a safer school environment for our children. We have a certified School Safety Specialist who provides training to our staff. Stop the Bleed, CPR, seizure first aid, EpiPen administration and state required training have all been provided to our entire staff.

The current student learning environment is hands-on, relevant and rigorous in order to meet the demands that are expected from chil-

dren for future college and career opportunities. Technology is utilized as a tool to enhance learning. Project-based learning takes place as early as preschool. Exploration and interests of the child helps build a strong foundation for our youngest of learners in our infant, toddler and preschool age children.

The school is accredited through Advanced ED and has consistently received an A performance grade. Smaller class sizes are an advantage to the school. They currently range from 14 - 24 students per classroom. Most programs offered in the local area schools are also available to students who attend Saints Francis & Clare of Assisi: 1:1 Chromebook (grades 4-8), Title I tutoring, Special Education, Enrichment, Response to Intervention, after-hours childcare and more.

Betty Popp, PRINCIPAL



Top, fourth-eighth-grade students attend the school's aftercare program. | Bottom, second-grade teacher Krissy Weber works with her students. (Submitted photos)

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## September is National Suicide Prevention Month

By Dr. Nydia Nunez-Estrada  
Family Medicine Physician at  
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According to the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), suicide rates in the U.S. are at their highest level since World War II due to numerous factors, including the opioid crisis, widespread social media use and high rates of stress.

A recent analysis by the CDC's National Center for Health Statistics in 2017 declared that 14 out of every 100,000 Americans died by suicide, and that's a 33 percent increase since 1999, and the highest age-adjusted suicide rate recorded in the U.S. since 1942.

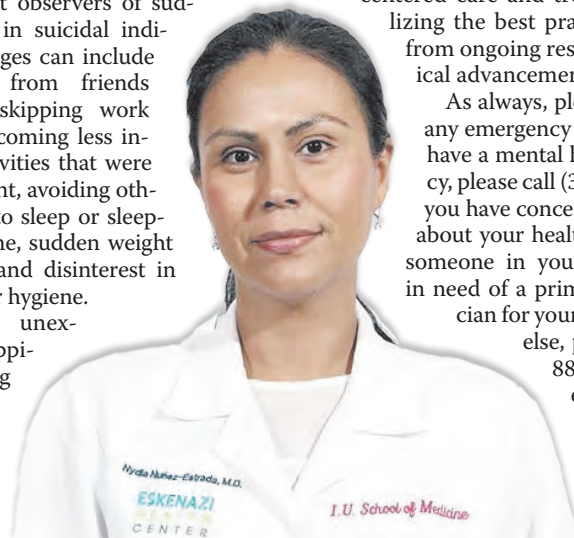
With September designated as National Suicide Prevention Month, this is a logical time to review some of the more common warning signs of suicide and what to do when you recognize them in yourself or someone else.

Whenever symptoms of depression include strong thoughts of despair and hopelessness, a child, adolescent or adult is possibly at greater risk for suicide. Be watchful for behaviors, comments or social media posts that indicate an individual is feeling overwhelmed by sadness or pessimistic views of their future.

Sometimes noticeable risk-taking behaviors can include acts of aggression, gunplay and alcohol/substance abuse that could be signs of an eventual suicide attempt. While an individual may not act depressed, their behavior can suggest that they don't care about their own safety.

Parents, teachers and friends are often the best observers of sudden changes in suicidal individuals. Changes can include withdrawing from friends and family, skipping work or school, becoming less involved in activities that were once important, avoiding others, inability to sleep or sleeping all the time, sudden weight gain or loss and disinterest in appearance or hygiene.

Sudden unexplained happiness taking place after a prolonged period of sadness



may also be a suicide warning sign.

Also be on the lookout for self-injury behaviors that may be indicators for young children as well as teenagers. Common self-destructive behaviors include running into traffic, jumping from heights and scratching/cutting/markings the body.

There are also a number of statements someone can make that point toward an eventual suicide attempt. Comments like "I want to die," or indirect comments such as "The world would be better without me," or "Nobody will miss me anyway," should be considered warning signs of suicidal tendencies. Teenagers might make indirect threats noticeable in school assignments, particularly creative writing or artwork, or online through social media.

If you spot the warning signs of suicide in someone you care about, you may wonder if it's a good idea to say something. The answer is always yes, and the sooner the better.

Initiate a conversation and listen to their feelings. Giving a suicidal person the opportunity to express his or her feelings can provide relief from loneliness and pent-up negative feelings and may prevent a suicide attempt. Allow the individual the opportunity to express despair and anger. No matter how negative they are in expressing themselves, the fact that the conversation is taking place is a positive.

Make sure they know how important they are to you, but don't believe you can keep them from hurting themselves on your own. Tell the individual that his or her life is important to you and many others and reassure them that help is available.

The Sandra Eskenazi Mental Health Center welcomes patients of all ages with a philosophy of providing community-centered care and treatment by utilizing the best practices resulting from ongoing research and medical advancements.

As always, please call 911 for any emergency situation. If you have a mental health emergency, please call (317) 880-8485. If you have concerns or questions about your health, the health of someone in your family or are in need of a primary care physician for yourself or someone else, please call (317) 880-7666 or visit [eskenazihealth.edu/doctors](http://eskenazihealth.edu/doctors).

## IndyGo's Red Line makes its premier during Labor Day weekend

### FEATURE

By Rick Hinton

The countdown is upon us as IndyGo's Red Line quickly approaches as the first week of September looms upon the horizon. After 15 months of construction residents will now realize transit alternatives as a viable option, providing improved travel times while decreasing wait times.

Traveling from Broad Ripple to the University of Indianapolis, the 13-mile, 28-stop Red Line was a \$96.5 million project, yet only Stage One of several rollouts will occur over the next few years. A new fleet of 60-foot-long electric buses – quiet, environmentally friendly and with doors opening on both sides of the bus – have a range of 275 miles between charging. Complete with bicycle racks, Wi-Fi and USB chargers, the buses offer 50 seats and additional standing capacity of 40. Seven days a week, 20 hours each day, your chariot will arrive at each designated station – generally ¼ to ½ mile apart – every 10-20 minutes.

Each of the 28 rapid-transit stations are placed within the street median with ticket-vending machines, digital marquee, covered seating, lighting and step-free access to and from the platforms. As drivers navigate changed lane configurations and adjusted traffic behavior, a troop of volunteers will

be on hand opening week to explain the system and show riders how to use the ticket sales kiosks. Related changes will be improvements, adjustments, or elimination to existing local routes. The Red Line will be free through September. All IndyGo buses will also be free the first two weeks of September.

The Red Line will in the future be joined by the 14.8-mile Purple Line (downtown Indianapolis to Fort Benjamin Harrison in Lawrence) beginning construction in 2021 and the 20-mile Blue Line (Cumberland to the Indianapolis International Airport) beginning construction in 2023. The complete Red Line corridor will eventually extend north to Westfield and south to Greenwood when officials in Hamilton and Johnson counties approve local funding.

Service begins Sunday, Sept. 1, followed by a celebration of community leaders, Indy Go representatives, Red Line contractors and the public Tuesday, Sept. 3. Festivities will include live music, free coffee and donuts.

"I hope our citizens use the service and that it proves worthy of the significant investment," said Jefferson Shreve, City Councilor for District 16 (Center, Perry and Wayne Townships). "Most of the funding came from Federal sources, but it's consumed a lot of tax dollars. We've built it. Will they come?"

Infrastructure modifications (and the headaches from such) aside, Indianapolis is entering a new era in its transit history ... taking our city into the future!



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## FROM THE EDITOR



## Old Southside neighborhood beginning construction on single-family homes

Construction is now beginning on six inexpensive single-family homes in the Old Southside neighborhood.

The homes are being built as part of a \$4 million Lift Indy community development grant, administered by Indianapolis Mayor Joe Hogsett last year. Hogsett met with the Indianapolis Neighborhood Housing Partnership (INHP), Davis Homes and the Old Southside Lift Indy steering committee on Tuesday to start construction on six of a total of 13 homes.

INHP is managing development of the homes, now listed for sale, which will be located at 20 Iowa St., 1814 Delaware St., 1725 S. Meridian St., 1226 Talbott St., 1437 Talbott St. and 1909 S. Talbott St. The homes, designed with input from the neighborhood, will be constructed by Davis Homes. Each two-story home will include three bedrooms and two baths, totaling about \$1,500 square feet.

INHP and the city of Indianapolis are using federal HOME Investment Program funding to build the homes. Buyers who qualify are given a market value price reduction, discounting the home's purchase price without impacting its appraised value. The price reduction is available for buyers earning up to 80 percent area market income (AMI). For example, a household of four with a combined income of \$63,900 would qualify for the discount.

Judith Essex, community and economic development lead for the Old Southside Neighborhood Association, referred to the plans as "an exciting time for the Old Southside," and described the grant as a turning point for the community.

For more information about the homes, visit [INHP.org/homes-for-sale](http://INHP.org/homes-for-sale), or contact the listing agent, Joe Sullivan, at (317) 670-5979.



"I'M NOT SURE WHICH CYBER SURVEILLANCE IS MORE INTIMIDATING... THE NSA SPYING ON ME OR MOM AND DAD MONITORING MY HOMEWORK."

## STARS & STRIKES ON THE SOUTHSIDE

*The Southside Times is all about people and our community. What do you like in your neighborhood? What don't you like? Who has done something nice, no matter how small, and should be recognized?*

*Email your "Stars and Strikes" to [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com). Julie Lockwood and Jim Coffman of Perry Township contributed to this week's Stars and Strikes.*

★ **Stars:** to the Beech Grove Chamber of Commerce for a very successful Music on Main event last Saturday. Lots of fun and the weather was perfect! The bands were all very good and were enjoyed by all.

★ **Stars:** for all of the road work being done and the successful repairs of drainage issues that have plagued residents of Beech Grove. More is coming!

★ **Stars:** to another concert – although the last night of the season – at the Greenwood Amphitheater this Saturday. The Flying Toasters will conclude the Summer Concert Series series.

★ **Stars:** to Servant's Heart of Indy Breakfast Fundraiser this Saturday. Come hungry! The breakfast includes scrambled eggs, bacon, pancakes, a basket of brown rolls and a beverage of your choice.

★ **Stars:** to a very pleasant weekend forecast for Labor Day weekend.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

*"I divide all readers into two classes: those who read to remember and those who read to forget."*

– William Lyon Phelps, American educator

## HUMOR



## TOP 10 HELPFUL HINTS TO WIN THE SEPT. 26 PET PHOTO CONTEST

By Torry Stiles

*Dear readers - From time to time I allow my pet pig, Porkrinds, to contribute to a top 10 list. The Southside Times is hosting a pet photo contest for our Sept. 26 edition. Porkrinds insisted she do her part to help.*

— TORRY STILES

10. Bribery never hurts but don't be givin' the judges dead mice or fleas.
9. Make sure they get your picture in by Sept. 13. Pee on the bathroom rug if they don't.
8. Study what kind of pose you should try. Wipe off your chin. Don't lick there until the picture takin' is over.
7. Don't let your person get by with some cruddy picture from his cell phone. Grab his credit card an' get a professional.
6. If you's a puppy you's gots it easy makin' them puppy dog eyes. If you's a lizard or a snake you's out of luck. Try wearin' an itty-bitty cowboy hat or somethin'.
5. Girls! Don't be givin' no free shot. Tuck that tail an' act like a lady.
4. Don't be makin' no duck face unless you's a duck.
3. Avoid weird haircuts. Nobody wants a mutt with a mullet.
2. Cute starts from the inside so eats lots of cute stuff. I be munchin' on Peeps an' lots of donuts with sprinkles.
1. Y'all know y'all runnin' for second, Don't ya? I be takin' the big money.



## BELIEVE IT!

*Our nation has all sorts of arcane, nonsensical laws on the books. Each week, we'll share one with you ...*

In Detroit, it is illegal for a man to scowl at his wife on Sunday.

Source: [dumblaws.com](http://dumblaws.com)



AROUND TOWN

**South Grove Intermediate teacher awarded drug-free grant**

**Grant** – During a recent Beech Grove Comprehensive Drug Free Coalition meeting, South Grove Intermediate School sixth-grade teacher, Lisa Bair, was awarded a \$500 scholarship for her Prevention Matters curriculum, which addresses youth substance

misuse prevention. Funding for the scholarship was made available through the coalition's partner, Franciscan Health. Mrs. Bair provided a presentation for members at the meeting detailing components of the curriculum and how the \$500 scholarship will be used for this year's curriculum. *Congratulations, Mrs. Bair!*



**South Grove and Hornet Park students learn about conserving energy**

**Educational program** – The Indianapolis Colts are partnering with Citizens Energy Group to offer Blue's school show, "Blue is the New Green." This 30-minute program presents information about the importance of conserving energy. Colts mascot Blue and his emcee treated South Grove and Hornet Park students to an entertaining school show, with fun games and bright visuals.

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# NIGHT & DAY

LOCAL ENTERTAINMENT ENTERTAINING

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### BEECH GROVE

**Buzz Club** • Buzz Club is an after-school program for grades K-6, Monday through Friday. Cost is \$30 per week; each additional child is \$15 per week. Transportation is provided to HPCC after school. Download the registration form at [bit.ly/buzzclub2019](http://bit.ly/buzzclub2019). | When: Monday-Friday, after school through 6 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 803-9086; [beechgrove.com/community-center](http://beechgrove.com/community-center).

**Servant's Heart of Indy Breakfast Fundraiser** • Breakfast fundraiser to benefit Servant's Heart of Indy. \$10 per person; children age 3 and under are free; includes scrambled eggs, bacon, pancakes with choice of milk; orange juice, soft drinks, tea or coffee and a basket of brown rolls per table. Silent auction and 50/50 raffle. Tickets are also sold at the door. | When: Aug. 31; 8-10 a.m. | Where: O'Charley's restaurant, 6930 S. Emerson Ave. | Info: To purchase tickets in advance or for more information, call (317) 788-9433.

**Beautify Beech Grove Farmers Market** • Produce and more from local vendors, including Mithoefer Produce, Happy Mutt Bakery, Irani Tea, Treats by Jess, Whiteland Orchard, Fletch's Apple Lane and more! | When: Tuesdays through Oct. 15, 3-6 p.m. | Where: South Emerson Church of God, 3939 S. Emerson Ave. (In the parking lot.) | Info: (317) 850-6898; [BeautifyBeechGrove@gmail.com](mailto:BeautifyBeechGrove@gmail.com).

**Hit Fit with Kaitlyn** • High Intensity Interval Training each Monday and Wednesday of every week. \$5 per class. | When: Sept. 4, 9 and 11, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Hornet Park Community Center, 5245 Hornet Ave. | Info: (317) 803-9086; [beechgrove.com/community-center](http://beechgrove.com/community-center).

**Preschool Storytime & Craft** • Preschoolers and an adult are invited to join the children's librarians for stories and fun activities. | When: Sept. 5, 12, 19 & 26, 11 a.m. | Where: Beech Grove Library Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560; [attend.indypl.org/event/2932887](http://attend.indypl.org/event/2932887).

**Lucha Libre: Print Making with Styrofoam Blocks for Adults** • Adults are invited to join La Sardina Gallery for a unique Lucha Libre experience. They'll learn about Lucha Libre's history and culture, hear an excerpt from a novel about Luchadores, participate in a thumb wrestling match and create a one-of-a-kind Luchador-themed print. | When: Sept. 7, 3-4 p.m. | Where: Beech Grove Library Branch, 1102 Main St. | Info: (317) 275-4560; [attend.indypl.org/event/2902057](http://attend.indypl.org/event/2902057).

**Beech Grove Chamber Inaugural Mini Golf Outing** • Our Inaugural Mini Golf Outing will include a food truck, bar, games, contests and prizes. Join us for a fun afternoon of food, games and networking. Cost is \$20 per player or \$80 for a foursome. This is an event for those at or over the age of 21. Registration is required. | When: Sept.

27; noon-4 p.m. | Where: Otte Family Fun Center, 681 Sheek Road, Greenwood. | Info: [beechgrove-chamber.org/golf-outing](http://beechgrove-chamber.org/golf-outing).

### FOUNTAIN SQUARE

**Junior Scientists: All About Animals** • Preschoolers ages 4-6 and an adult are invited to cultivate their love of animals during this fun program presented by Snapology. They'll learn about animal life cycles, characteristics and traits using K'Nex toys and other interactive learning tools. | When: Sept. 9, 11 a.m. | Where: Fountain Square Library Branch, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: (317) 275-4390; [attend.indypl.org/event/2937537](http://attend.indypl.org/event/2937537).

**Monday Night Crafts** • Adults are invited to bring their current knitting, crochet, beading, sewing, scrapbooking or other craft project and work on it with fellow crafters. | When: Sept. 9, 6-7 p.m. | Where: Fountain Square Library Branch, 1066 Virginia Ave. | Info: (317) 275-4390; [attend.indypl.org/event/1693564](http://attend.indypl.org/event/1693564).

### FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP

**ABCs of Diabetes** • Adults are invited to a free, four-part diabetes education series instructed by the Marion County Health Department. Topics include eating healthier, increasing activity, taking medications and preventing complications. | When: Aug. 29, 1:30-3:30 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch Library, 5550 S. Franklin Road. | Info: (317) 275-4380; [attend.indypl.org/event/1841756](http://attend.indypl.org/event/1841756).

**Franklin Road Book Discussion** • The book to be discussed is "Fly Girls: How Five Daring Women Defied All Odds and Made Aviation History" by Keith O'Brien. | When: Sept. 9, 6:30-8 p.m. | Where: Franklin Road Branch Library, 5550 S. Franklin Road. | Info: (317) 275-4380; [attend.indypl.org/event](http://attend.indypl.org/event).

### GARFIELD PARK

**'As You Like It'** • The Garfield Shakespeare Company will present William Shakespeare's "As You Like It." Co-directed by Sebastian Shea and Ashley Chase Elliott, while "As You Like It" will still use much of the original Shakespearian verbiage, the setting will be the year 1984. Carey Shea was inspired to set the show in the 1980s because the play is set in the Forest of Arden. That reminded him of summer camp. Garfield Brewery will be present, selling beer. Come, bring your picnic basket, lawn chair or blanket and sit on the lawn or in the McAllister Center seating. Garfield Shakespeare Company is a 501c3 nonprofit theater company and presents all shows for free. The company runs on donations and sponsorships. Donations of all sizes are welcome. | When: Aug. 30 & 31, 8 p.m. | Where: McAllister Amphitheater, 2450 Conservatory Dr. | Info: (317) 327-7053; [gscindy.org/as-you-like-it](http://gscindy.org/as-you-like-it).

**Lucha Libro: Mask Making for Kids** • In celebration of Lucha Libro at the Library, kids are invited to join La Sardina Gallery for a unique Lucha Li-



Oktoberfest runs from next Thursday, Sept. 5, through Saturday, Sept. 7, starting at 4 p.m. ([indianapolisgac.com](http://indianapolisgac.com)) (Submitted photo)

bre experience. They'll learn about Lucha Libre's history and culture, read a story about a young Luchador, participate in a thumb wrestling match and create their own Luchador mask. | When: Sept. 3, 6:30-7:30 p.m. | Where: Garfield Park Library Branch, 2502 Shelby St. | Info: (317) 275-4490; [attend.indypl.org/event/2901670](http://attend.indypl.org/event/2901670).

### GREENWOOD

**Grief Share Support Group** • Whether your grief is fresh or recurring, the Grief Share groups are designed to help with your journey. Some of you have attended previously, and we want to welcome you back. Many of you have just begun your journey and those feelings of loss and confusion are something we all share. Southland's Grief Share group is open to all denominations and you can start any week; however, we would like you to register by return email to Mary. The cost is \$20 for the workbook, unless you already purchased one, and can be paid during class. | When: July 3-Sept. 25, 6-8 p.m. | Where: Southland Community Church, 5800 Smith Valley Road. | Info: Mary at (317) 340-3284 or [gerlachme@yahoo.com](mailto:gerlachme@yahoo.com).

**Summer Concert Series** • Nearly every Saturday evening between June and August, Greenwood residents, visitors and their families gather downtown – known locally as Old Town – with lawn chairs, blankets and snack-filled coolers to enjoy live performances in an energetic and welcoming atmosphere. Summer Concert Series performers cover a variety of musical genres ranging from country to pop, rock and funk. The Flying Toasters perform. | When: Aug. 31, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Amphitheater in Craig Park, 100 Surina Way. | Info: [greenwood.in.gov](http://greenwood.in.gov).

**Quilt Connection Guild** • The Quilt Connection Guild will have Kea Bee as its sponsor. Kea, along with her husband, "Tech Guy," are well-known for their YouTube videos specializing in quilting and crafting topics. Kea will present a program on her journey on YouTube, along with a trunk show of their quilts and other projects. Please join us! This program is free and open to the public. | When: Sept. 5, 7 p.m. | Where: Greenwood United Methodist Church, 525 S. Madison Ave. | Info: [quiltcg@gmail.com](http://quiltcg@gmail.com).

[quiltcg.com](http://quiltcg.com).

**English Country Dance** • Open to all singles, couples and families. Ken Gall of Greenwood will call the dance and the Entwyned Celtic Duo of Bloomington will play the music. Admission is \$10. Costumes or classy attire will be admired but not required. Since all dances will be taught, beginners will be welcome. | When: Sept. 7, 7-10 p.m. | Where: Greenwood Moose Lodge, 813 Smith Valley Road. | Info: Ken Gall at (317) 750-7892.

**Firehouse Day Miniature Golf Fest** • The Greenwood Kiwanis Club will host its third annual Firehouse Day golf fest. The event features putt-putt golf and other children's activities. Prizes will be awarded. The Greenwood Fire Department and Sparky the Fire Dog will be on hand to give tours of fire trucks and give special items to families. Food and drinks will be available. Proceeds will go to help underwrite the Greenwood Fire Department's fire safety program. | When: Sept. 14, 1-6 p.m. | Where: Otte Golf & Family Fun Center, 681 Sheek Road. | Info: Richard Isenhour at (317) 442-7456; [kiwanisgreenwoodin.com](http://kiwanisgreenwoodin.com) or Facebook: Kiwanis Club of Greenwood.

**Center Grove High School Class of 1969 50th Reunion** • Visit with your old friends and find out what your classmates have been up to! Check in starts at 11:45 a.m. | When: Sept. 15, 2-6 p.m. | Where: Barn at Bay Horse Inn, 1468 W. Stones Crossing Road. | Info: Jeanne at (317) 216-5991.

### INDIANAPOLIS

**Start with Art 2019** • Presented by Schahet Hotels, Start with Art is the largest annual business and arts luncheon in the country, bringing together 1,000 businesses, arts and civic leaders to celebrate the impact of the arts in Indianapolis. Registration and networking starts at 11 a.m. Stay after lunch for the Jiffy Lube After Party! | When: Aug. 30, 11:30 a.m. | Where: JW Marriott Indianapolis, 10 S. West St. | Info: [indyarts.org/start-with-art](http://indyarts.org/start-with-art); #StartwithArt2019.

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★★☆☆☆ • R • Horror, Mystery, Thriller • 1 hour, 35 minutes

## Ready or Not A killer game of hide-and-seek

### MOVIE REVIEW

By Bradley Lane

*Ready or Not* is a film that revolves around a very simple concept; a game of hide-and-seek becomes a struggle to survive for a newlywed bride and newest member of an ultra-rich family. Its plot can be summed up in just a sentence, so what becomes interesting about *Ready or Not* is its ability to build upon its simple and fun premise. From some of the directors of horror cult hit *V/H/S*, Radio Silence, they had thoroughly established they could make fun and scary genre flicks, but they aim for much higher ambitions with *Ready or Not*. Despite its admittedly silly concept, Radio Silence aims not only to deliver over-the-top blood and gore, but also delivers a meaningful story with complex characters and themes. Unfortunately, these attempts feel on the nose at best, and totally forced at its worst.

The most pervasive idea presented in the film is the disparity between classes in mod-

ern America. Grace is our main character; she is marrying into the extremely wealthy LeDomas family. From the beginning of the film we are subjected to Grace's limited point of view. We experience this strange world of extravagance through the eyes of someone grounded in the reality of a world that most audiences are familiar with, creating an instantly likable character. Grace is by far the best part of *Ready or Not*, not only in her writing, but especially by her performance by Samantha Weaving.

Looking past her excellent character, the film drops significantly in quality. The other members of the LeDomas family are portrayed as unlikable, unempathetic and incompetent caricatures of villains. I have no problems with this representation, but they dominate a lot of the runtime. Having characters this unlikable usually lends itself to comedy at their expense, but *Ready or Not's* comedic attempts didn't get so much as a chuckle throughout the film.

The other major issue I had with the film has to do with the main premise. It never re-

ally builds on the idea of a game of hide-and-seek past the idea of when she gets caught, she'll die. There is an explanation to why they must play this game of hide-and-seek, but I found it frustrating in the sense it seems to shift responsibility for the family's actions to an unnecessarily introduced third party. I am sure this twist will sit well with some viewers, but it read to me as an excuse not to develop the LeDomas characters with the same depth that they committed to Grace.

*Ready or Not* has a great premise and uses it to develop serious tension in a couple spots, but other than those select scenes, it fails to build on that idea, leaving me feeling like it could have been so much more than what it was when I left the theater.



Bradley is a Beech Grove High School alumnus and has been enamored by film for as long as he can remember. He is currently in his third year studying at IUPUI, majoring in Media and Public Affairs with a minor in Film. Bradley can be contacted at [blane2214@gmail.com](mailto:blane2214@gmail.com).

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**St. Joseph Community Fall Festival** • St. Joseph Catholic Church will be holding their 12th Annual Community Fall Festival. The festival is an annual fundraiser for St. Joseph parish. Activities include rides, a kids' tent, black jack, poker, raffle, silent auction, community barn sale and a beer garden. Saturday night will feature the band, "Abby Something," starting at 8 p.m.; come rock to a great band! There will also be a Texas Hold'em tournament on Sunday evening. Pre-registration for the tournament will be available on Friday and Saturday night during the festival. The menu will feature a homemade lasagna dinner, fried fish, tenderloins, chicken fingers, mac and cheese, hamburgers, Vietnamese egg rolls, fried rice, Mexican tamales and other tasty items. There is also a Sweet Shop each night with a variety of cakes, pies, candy, ice cream sundae bar and other homemade baked goods. | When: Aug. 30, 31 & Sept. 1; starts at 5 p.m. Friday & Saturday; 3 p.m. on Sunday. | Where: St. Joseph Catholic Church, 1401 S. Mickley Ave. | Info: Contact Judy Meyers at (317) 502-3020 or email [judy.meyers1973@gmail.com](mailto:judy.meyers1973@gmail.com).

**Home Economists' Guild Fall Pitch-In** • The Home Economists' Guild of Indianapolis will be holding its fall pitch-in. Prospective members are welcome. Anyone with a bachelor's or advanced degree in home economics or family and consumer science is eligible to join. The group awards scholarships to students who attend an Indiana college majoring in a home economics field. | When: Sept. 5, 11 a.m. | Where: Fairview Presbyterian Church, 4609 N. Capitol Ave. | Info: To get more details or to make a reservation, call Kathy Shank at (317) 887-2850.

**Indianapolis NARFE Meeting** • Indianapolis chapter 151 of the National Active and Retired Federal Employees Association will meet with all active and retired federal employees; spouses are welcome. We meet at one of the restaurants across the street at 11 a.m. for lunch. | When: Sept. 6, 12:30 p.m. | Where: National Association of Letter Carriers Hall, 2211 E. 54th St. | Info: [narfe.org/chapter151](http://narfe.org/chapter151).

### PERRY TOWNSHIP

**Oktoberfest** • German-American Klub's annual Oktoberfest. Live music, dancing, food and drink. Music provided by Flatbed Twitch, Dysfunktion Brass, Tastes Like Chicken; Polkamotion; Ride That Train; Pushing Daisy's; Steve Bogard Classic Rock Band; and Jay Fox & the Jammin' Germans. Admission: \$5; children 12 and younger: free. | When: Sept. 5-7; Thursday, 4-10 p.m.; Friday & Saturday, 4-11 p.m. | Where: 8600 S. Meridian St. | Info: [indianapolisgak.com](http://indianapolisgak.com).

**The Cultivating Garden Club** • Topic: "Plant Your Garden, Garden Your Plan." Speaker: Carol Michael, author of *Potted and Pruned: Living a Gardening Life*. New members are welcome. | When: Sept. 19, 6 p.m. | Where: St. John's UCC, U.S. 31 & Southport Road. | Info: Diana Williams: (317) 258-7916.

**2019 Perry Seniors & Friends Golf Outing** • We will have 136 golfers ready to enjoy a day of golf, cart, green fees, lunch/dinner, prizes and education from our sponsors. Registration begins at 10:30 a.m., sponsors take their places at 11:30 a.m. and golf starts at noon. Dinner will start when the golfers come in at about 5:30 p.m. All monies earned at this charitable event are donated to Perry Senior Citizens Services, a nonprofit organi-

zation supporting senior citizens in Perry Township. Call now to reserve your spot or sponsorship! | When: Sept. 25, shotgun at noon. | Where: Winding River Golf Course, 8015 Mann Road. | Info: (317) 783-9231; [perryseniors.org](http://perryseniors.org).

### SOUTHPORT

**Servant's Heart of Indy Breakfast Fundraiser** • Breakfast fundraiser to benefit Servant's Heart of Indy. \$10 per person; children age 3 and under are free; includes scrambled eggs, bacon, pancakes with choice of milk; orange juice, soft drinks, tea or coffee and a basket of brown rolls per table. Silent auction and 50/50 raffle. Tickets are also sold at the door. | When: Aug. 31; 8-10 a.m. | Where: O'Charley's restaurant, 6930 S. Emerson Ave. | Info: To purchase tickets in advance or for more information, call (317) 788-9433.

**Don't Throw in the Trowel: Fall Lawn and Garden** • Adults are invited as Steve Mayer, Purdue Extension-Marion County Educator and Consumer Horticulture program director, will discuss topics such as fall lawn care and autumn planting. He will also provide information resources and answer individual lawn care and garden questions. | When: Sept. 3, 6:30 p.m. | Where: Southport Library Branch, 2630 E. Stop 11 Road. | Info: (317) 275-4510; [attend.indypl.org/event/3079583](http://attend.indypl.org/event/3079583).

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## Correct grammar, Yoda's speech is?

### GRAMMAR GUY

By Curtis Honeycutt

I'll have to admit – I don't know much about *Star Wars*. Somehow, I missed the window to watch them during my formative years. Although I have glasses, write about grammar and prefer staying inside, my lack of *Star Wars* appreciation makes others seriously second-guess my nerd street cred.

Here's what I do know about *Star Wars*: Luke and Leia were brother and sister, which made things awkward, especially after they kissed. Darth Vader was Luke's dad. We pretend Episode I never happened (especially Jar Jar). Han shot first. What shot second. And I don't know is on third. Also, Yoda is an awesome green Muppet (voiced by Frank Oz, who also who voiced Miss Piggy, Fozzie Bear, Cookie Monster, Bert and Animal, to name a few) who could go toe-to-toe with Chuck Norris in a head-

to-head matchup.

But is Yoda's grammar correct? His sentence structure is certainly odd. He says things like, "When 900 years old you reach, look as good you will not."

Odd, that sounds. Talking like this, I don't know why I am.

For the most part, English syntax (how we arrange our words) follows the same pattern. In order for a sentence to be complete, it needs a subject and a predicate. The predicate always includes a verb and often includes an object.

Most English sentences follow the subject-verb-object order. In one of these popular laser sword space movies, according to Google, Darth Vader says, "I find your lack of faith disturbing." In this sentence, "I" is the subject, "find" is the verb and "lack of faith" is the object. Many other *Star Wars* quotes follow this subject-verb-object pattern. "I am your father." "I think I just blasted it." "Women always figure out the truth. Always."

Yoda's syntax follows a distinctly different pattern. For the most part, his

sentences follow the object-subject-verb pattern. This pattern is only found in 0.3 percent of the world's languages. Let's take this quote from Yoda: "Truly wonderful the mind of a child is." In this sentence, "wonderful" appears first, serving as the object. This is followed by "mind," the sentence's subject. Finally, we get the verb, "is." Object-subject-verb. Here's a double: "Powerful (object) you (subject) have (verb) become; the dark side (object) I (subject) sense (verb) in you." All of these sentences contain a subject and a predicate.

Therefore, the answer to the question is: yes, Yoda's speech pattern is grammatically correct; strange to our ears, it just sounds.



Curtis Honeycutt is an award-winning syndicated humor columnist. Connect with him on Twitter (@curtishoneycutt) or at curtishoneycutt.com.

### Puzzle Time Answers

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#### Answers to HOOSIER HODGEPODGE:

**Teams:** BEARS, COLTS, JAGUARS, JETS, LIONS, RAMS;

**Cities:** GARY, HAMMOND, HOBART, LA PORTE, MERRILLVILLE;

**Tomatoes:** CHERRY, GRAPE, PLUM, ROMA;

**Words:** BRITISH, BROADCASTING CORPORATION;

**Names:** ADE, ROSS;

**Speaker:** BOSMA

### Southside New Quiz

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## University of Indianapolis voice instructor to perform recital

### FEATURE

By Nancy Price

A Southside soprano vocalist who received a grant from the Indiana Arts Commission is inviting guests to attend a free upcoming recital at the University of Indianapolis.

Dr. Karri York, a former Greenwood resident now living near Franklin Township, will be performing "A Portrait of Faces," consisting of 12 pieces ranging from opera to art song to musical theatre. Pianist Amanda Hopson of DePauw University will accompany York's solo vocal recital.

"While most of the program is in English, there is one German aria and two French melodies," York said. "The title of this program came to fruition because almost all the pieces selected for this recital was titled with a face. For instance, such titles as "Cowboy Songs," "Daphne," "Old Sir Faulk," and "Myself I Shall Adore," all fit into this thematic idea of a "face" and the title, "A Portrait of Faces" fits perfectly."

The project is made possible by support of the Indiana Arts Commission, a state agency. York

applied for an FY20 Individual Advancement Program grant in February. "The organization provides many grants for which to apply, and they focus on a broad spectrum of the arts, focusing on opportunities for the community, arts organizations and individual artists," she said. "My proposal was to prepare a solo vocal and receive funds to help me continue vocal training, rehearsals with accompanist, travel expenses to and from lessons and rehearsals, purchase of original music scores and concert attire, as well as other necessary needs for the recital.

"I am honored to be awarded the FY20 Individual Advancement Program grant by Governor Eric Holcomb, The Indiana Arts Commission, a state agency, and the citizens of Indiana," York said. "Their support for this recital project is a valuable gift as a professional musician and resident of Indiana."

York serves as associate faculty in voice at IU-PUI Music Arts and Technology, adjunct professor of voice at Anderson University and as a voice instructor for the pre-college and adult music program at the University of Indianapolis.

She will perform "A Portrait of Faces," Sept. 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the Ruth Lilly Performance Hall at the University of Indianapolis. The second performance will be held at Geist Christian Church Sept. 22 at 3 p.m. For more information, please visit events.uindy.edu. For more information about Dr. York, go to pathwaysofmusic.com.

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## OBITUARIES

**Ruby T. Beasley**

Ruby T. Beasley, 91, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 21, 2019. She was born Sept. 19, 1927 in Tompkinsville, KY to the late Dewey and Eunice Roddy. She worked for Western Electric and later retired from Indianapolis Container. She was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Apostolic Faith. She was preceded in death by her husband, Paul D. Beasley; son, Jimmy Beasley; siblings, Guy Roddy, Sr., Malcom Roddy, Ivan Roddy, Eloise Brockman and Emily Case. She is survived by her children, Paul R. Beasley, Barbara Majors, Kathy Jines, Kevin T. Beasley, Ricky Beasley, Sr. and Tina Kelso; several grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Odee White; and a brother, Larry Roddy. A funeral service was conducted Aug. 26 at G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis. Burial was in Washington Park East Cemetery.

**Timmy N. Brown**

Timmy N. Brown 53, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 18, 2019. Timmy was born Nov. 3, 1965, along with his twin sister, Tammy Kauffman, in Tompkinsville, KY to James and Rosa Dulworth Brown. Tim previously attended Howe High School and had a career as a maintenance manager. He was a member of the South Eastern Church of Christ and was known in the community for always lending a helping hand whenever he could. He was preceded in death by his father, James L. Brown; and brother, James D. Brown. He is survived by his mother, Rosa Brown, and his sisters, Barbara Sims, Cathy Brown, Brenda England (Ron), Linda Doody and Tammy (Steve) Kauffman; nine nieces and nephews; and eight great-nieces and great-nephews. Visitation services were held Aug. 22 at the G. H. Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home, 5141 Madison Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46227. There will not be a funeral service, as per his wishes.

**Paul Dean Childers**

Paul Dean Childers, 56, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 16, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

**Mary Margaret Cleary**

Mary Margaret (Long) Cleary, 78, of Greenwood, died Aug. 24, 2019. She was born Sept. 12, 1940 in Indianapolis to the late LeRoy and Anna (Costello) Long. Mary graduated from Sacred Heart High School in 1958. On Sept. 18, 1965, she married David Michael Cleary in Beech Grove; he survives. Mary worked as an administrative assistant for AT&T for almost 30 years, but she was most passionate about her family. She would say her greatest accomplishment was her children, and her greatest joy was her grandchildren. She was passionate about attending their events

when possible and hearing about them when not. Survivors include her husband; her children, John Michael Cleary and Michelle Ann (Phil) Worthington; grandchildren, Ethan, Ariel and Sam Worthington. Also surviving are her sisters, Helen (M. Charles) Moll and Judy Miller; and many nieces, nephews and cousins. In 1972, Mary battled cancer. Given a year to live, she decided to live it to the fullest and refused to give up. Instead of one year, she lived 47 years. A memorial service will be held Sept. 1, 2-4 p.m. at G.H. Herrmann Greenwood Funeral Home at The Gardens at Olive Branch, 1605 S. State Road 135, Greenwood.

**Brian Duane Cobb**

Brian Duane Cobb, 34, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 18, 2019. He was born Feb. 3, 1985 in Indianapolis. To know Brian, even casually, was to be his friend. He enjoyed golfing, spending time at home enjoying his pool and BBQ with friends and family and his dog, Dude. He loved traveling to tropical locations, with Jamaica being his favorite. Brian had a generous heart. He would and did help so many in their time of need, no matter how big or small that need was. He is survived by his wife, Whitney Cobb; children, Brian, Jr., Benjamin, Bradley, Kinsley Cobb; parents, Grant and Angela Cobb; sisters, Stacy (Rusty) Cobb-Robertson and Melanie Caplinger; seven nieces; four nephews; and one great-nephew; and a number of friends. A memorial service was conducted Aug. 24, 2019 at the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 900 E. Stop 11 Road, Indianapolis. G.H. Arrangements were entrusted to Herrmann Madison Avenue Funeral Home.

**James Joseph Dukes**

James J. (Jim) Dukes, 76, of Whiteland, died Aug. 5, 2019. Jim was born Jan. 29, 1943 to the late John and Maxine Dukes. Jim was a 1961 graduate of Beech Grove High School, where he enjoyed playing football and wrestling. After school, Jim served in the United States Marine Corps. He worked at Chrysler Corporation for 37 years, retiring in 2005. After retirement, Jim loved to golf and was proud of his hole-in-one at Sarah Shank. Jim also enjoyed fishing trips with friends, NASCAR, visiting casinos and state parks and attending his grandkids' sports and activities. He will be remembered for his sense of humor, funny stories, detailed historical knowledge and love of his family. He was preceded in death by his brothers, John Dukes and Danny Dukes. Jim is survived by his wife of 50 years, Margaret Dukes; and his daughters, Angie (Terry) McGuire and Belinda (Todd) Hippert. Also surviving are his grandkids, Trent and Logan McGuire and Kendal and Karsen Hippert. A celebration of life service will be held Sept. 1 at Hornet Park Community Center in Beech Grove from 2-4 p.m.

*Obituaries continued on page 24.*

## AROUND TOWN

**Seventh annual Beautify Beech Grove family walk scheduled for September**

**Fundraiser walk** – Please consider signing up to participate in the 7th annual Beautify Beech Grove family walk scheduled for Sept. 28. The cost is just \$10 per person, which includes a T-shirt. This is our largest fundraiser of the year. Funds raised from this event have been used to purchase American flags that line many of the streets, Christmas decorations for Main Street, a roundabout and park entrances. Most recently we were able to purchase new banners that line the Emerson Avenue corridor, and more. Forms can be picked up at Eckstein Shoe Store and Repair, 620 Main St., or email requests to beautifybeechgrove@gmail.com. Our nonprofit also runs the Beech Grove Farmers Market that takes place every Tuesday from 3-6 p.m. This year our event sponsor is Planet Fitness, located at Thompson Road and Emerson Avenue. Musical entertainment will also be provided by Audio Inferno.

**WISH-TV's Great Day TV and Pet Pals TV moves to Saturdays Aug. 31**

**Local TV** – WISH-TV weekends are going "All Local All Morning" as locally produced Great Day TV and Pet Pals TV move to Saturdays, beginning Aug. 31. Great Day TV, a half-hour lifestyle, news and information program, will air at 10 a.m., following News 8's Daybreak. Pet Pals TV, a 30-minute show celebrating the bond between pets and people, will air at 10:30 a.m. "We are beyond excited to make the move to Saturdays on WISH-TV," said Patty Spittler, host and producer of Pet Pals TV and Great Day TV. "We've enjoyed airing Sunday mornings, but when we had the opportunity to move a day earlier, we jumped at it. Our new time slot helps kick off the weekend, as Great Day TV and Pet Pals TV focus on many wonderful events happening over the weekend. This move also opens up our shows to an even wider audience. So, stay tuned, we're movin' on up!" WISH-TV is "All Local All Morning" seven days a week, with eight hours of local programming weekdays, 4 a.m.-noon, and now six-and-a-half hours on Saturday and Sunday.

**Indiana Recycling Coalition seeks nominations**

**Recognition** – The Indiana Recycling Coalition (IRC) is marking its 30th year as an Indiana nonprofit organization with a year-long campaign. The organization aims to celebrate its past, present, and future by recognizing key leaders, sharing member's stories of impact, and raising funds to fuel its mission of working together to strengthen the circular economy in Indiana. As part of the campaign, the IRC will identify and recognize 30 Recycling Rock Stars: individuals who have made a significant impact on the organization, its mission, and the circular economy in the state of Indiana. The IRC will be recognizing these individuals by profiling them on their website, highlighting them via social media posts using the hashtag #IRC-turns30, and honoring them during a celebration planned for June 2020. Individuals and organizations are encouraged to nominate individuals who have made a significant impact on the circular economy in Indiana, which includes the topics of recycling, waste reduction, reuse, composting and rethink/redesign. Areas of impact include education, philanthropy, innovation, advocacy, community impact and program implementation. Nominations are due Aug. 31. For more information, go to indianarecycling.org.

**Vinny's Barbershop receives award at Beech Grove City School's board meeting**

**Recognition** – Vinnie Berberena, left, owner of Vinny's Barbershop at 312 Main St., was recognized by BGCS Superintendent, Dr. Paul Kaiser, right, at the Aug. 13 school board meeting. Dr. Kaiser presented Vinnie with the district's "Something Extra" award. Vinnie provides free haircuts for Beech Grove students up to the age of 12 on the Sunday before school begins with his "Cuts for Kids" program. Vinnie and his barbers volunteer their time on that Sunday, which is their only day off. Beech Grove City Schools thanks Vinnie for his kindness and helping students to look their best as they start the school year. Fun fact: Vinnie also helps Dr. Kaiser to look his best, too; he is the superintendent's barber.





# PET LOVERS ISSUE

We know Southsiders love their pets. To celebrate that affection, *The Southside Times* is having its sixth annual **Southside Pet Lovers** issue.

We have asked our readers to submit their best photo of their cat, dog or other pet. Our staff will choose the top three and all other entries will be published in the Sept. 26 issue.

Please e-mail your image with your name and area of residence to "Pet Lovers" at [nancy@icontimes.com](mailto:nancy@icontimes.com) by **September 13** or mail your photo to: **7670 US 31 South, Indianapolis, 46227** (We may not be able to return photos.) For more information, call **(317) 300-8782**.

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### Marion Evrard

Marion (Elmo) Evrard, 73, died Aug. 25, 2019. He was born Nov. 17, 1945 to Leo and Irene Evrard. He was preceded in death by a brother, Francis (Indy) Evrard. He is survived by his wife, Marina; daughter, Lisa (Duane) Woods; grandchildren, Austin, Caleb, Brynn and Cole; great-grandchildren, Rilynn, Kyla, Wyatt, Emersyn and Jonah; sisters, Karen (Susie) Bailey and Veronica Tibbs; and several nieces and nephews. A celebration of life service will be held at the Beech Grove Community Center Sept. 8, from noon-4 p.m. He donated his body to the I.U. School of Medicine Anatomy Department.



### Rose Anne Mukka

Rose Anne Mukka, 56, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 15, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

### Kenneth S. Prather

Kenneth S. Prather 92, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 18, 2019. Ken worked for Western Electric for over 36 years as a tool & die specialist. He also worked at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway for 25 years and taught tool & die vocational classes at Ivy Tech for 25 years. He is preceded in death by his wife of 42 years, Sarah Evelyn Prather; parents, Mitchell and Mary Prather; and his siblings. Ken is survived by his children, Mark (Pam) Prather and Vicki (Barry) Johnson; grandchildren, Shelly (David) Scott, Matthew Prather, Barry Jr. (Sherry) Johnson and Brandon (Harlee) Johnson; along with his great-grandchildren, Austyn, Lona, Kaylee, Austin, Barry III, Liam and Brody. Visitation was held Aug. 22 at Little and Sons Stop Eleven Chapel.

### Luann Reabe

Luann Reabe, 69, of Whiteland, died Aug. 25, 2019. All services are private. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to The Cremation Society of Indiana, 4115 S. Shelby St., Indianapolis, IN 46227.

### Jose Solis

Jose Solis, 84, of Greenwood, formerly of Detroit, MI, and East Chicago, IN, died Aug. 18, 2019. Jose was born in Laredo, TX on July 2, 1935. After retiring in 2005 he uprooted to Greenwood to be closer to his three grandchildren. He enjoyed spending time with his family, watching old

western shows and was a known avid bingo player. He was preceded in death by his parents, Alejandro and Maria (Alvarez); sisters, Olga and Esther (Rodriguez); and brothers, Crescencio and Enrique. Jose is survived by his wife of 55 years, Maria "Coco"; son, Jose (Patty); and grandchildren, Jose Cesar, Justice and Annika. He is also survived by his sisters, Fernanda Esquivel and Andrea Arispe; and numerous nieces and nephews. Services will be held in Hammond, IN, Detroit and Greenwood, to be announced at a future date.

### Pansy May Trivett

Pansy May Trivett, 92, of Silverdale, WA, died Aug. 15, 2019. Pansy was born May 24, 1927 in Buchanan County, VA to Sherman and Betty (Dunnford) Stevenson. She married Harold Trivett in Indianapolis in November 1964. In her spare time, Pansy enjoyed reading, gardening and watching westerns. She is preceded in death by her parents; husband; and daughter, Judy Jewell. Survivors include her daughter, Linda Monday (Jewell); and son-in-law, James; brother, Pal Stevenson; sister, Wanda Rasnake; grandchildren, Treisa, Sherry and Penny; eight great-grandchildren; and 14 great-great-grandchildren. Services will be private.

### Martha L. Snead Uebelhor

Martha L. Snead Uebelhor, 78, of Indianapolis, died Aug. 21, 2019. Martha was born in Jonesboro, AK to Frank H. & Katherine M. (Green) Riga July 6, 1941. Martha was preceded in death by her parents; first husband, Ronald Snead; siblings, Mary Petra, Rita Riga, Ivo Riga, Jane Ferguson and Roy Riga. Martha is survived by her husband, Robert Uebelhor; sons, Ronald Snead, Richard & Jamie Snead and Robert Snead; grandchildren, Rylon, Reannon, Alexis, Nicole, Renessa, Reannon, Drew and Rejena; great-grandchildren, Logan, Madelyn, Lucy, Cameron, Dylan and Birdie; siblings, Joan O'Connell, Guy Riga, Leo Riga and Noe Steve Riga; and a host of other family and friends. Visitation was held Aug. 26 at Newcomer - Indianapolis Chapel, 925 E. Hanna Ave., IN 46227. Burial followed in Forest Lawn Memory Gardens.

### Norman Zernicke

Norman "Z" Zernicke, 92, of Beech Grove, died Aug. 13, 2019. Norman was born on March 7, 1927 to the late Carl and Cecelia Zernicke. He is survived by his son, Daniel, and daughter, Karen; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. Norman served in the U.S. Army from 1944 to 1947. Norman enjoyed watching old movies and all sports on TV, especially the Cincinnati Reds & Indianapolis Colts. A celebration of life service will take place at a later date. Arrangements were entrusted to Little and Sons, Beech Grove Chapel

*Obituaries are printed free of charge. Funeral directors are encouraged to send obituaries and photos to [news@ss-times.com](mailto:news@ss-times.com). Information received by noon Tuesday will be published Thursday, space permitting.*



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**St. Athanasius Byzantine Eastern - Rite Catholic Church** • Blaine Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 632-4157. | Fr. Bryan Eymann. | Sun. (Divine Liturgy Celebrated): 10 a.m. | Parish luncheon follows liturgy. | saindy.com.

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**St. Mark Catholic Church** • 535 E. Edgewood Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-8246. | Fr. Bill Marks. | Deacon Paul Fisherkeller. | Sun.: 7:30, 9:30, 11:45 a.m. | Sat. Anticipation Mass: 5:30 p.m.

‡ CHRISTIAN CHURCH

**Mount Pleasant Christian Church** • 381 N. Bluff Road, Greenwood. | Senior Pr. Chris Philbeck. | Sun.: 10 a.m. (ASL Available). | Sun.: 8:45 a.m., 10 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. | MPCC online campus: MPCC live at 10 a.m. ET. | mpcc.info.

**Southport Heights Christian Church** • 7154 S. McFarland Road, Indpls. | Pr. Steve Ferguson. | Bible School: 9 a.m. | Worship Service: 10:30 a.m. | Deaf Ministry: James Wines (317) 493-0414 VP or jewshdccc@yahoo.com.

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**Sixth Church of Christ, Scientist** • 7625 McFarland Road. | Ph: (317) 888-3204. | Sun.: 10 a.m. | Sun. School: 10 a.m. |

Wed.: 4 p.m. | Reading Room Hours Tues.: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. & Wed.: 2:30-3:30 p.m.

‡ CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN

**Christ Cumberland Presbyterian Church** • 6140 S. Meridian St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-9585. | Pr. Elmer Price. | Sun.: 10 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | "Come Grow With Us!"

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**Tapestry Church** • 4135 Smith Valley Road, Greenwood | Ph: (317) 784-4431 | Woven Worship: 9:45 a.m. | Traditional Worship: 10:30 a.m. | gototapestry.org.

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**Community Church at Murphy's Landing** • 7401 S. Harding St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 807-0222. | Pr. Paul Emy. | Sun.: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 11 a.m. | yourcml.org.

‡ LUTHERAN

**Concordia Lutheran Church and Preschool** • 305 Howard Road, Greenwood. | (317) 881-4477. | Worship Sun.: 9 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:30 a.m. | concordia-lcms.com.

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‡ NAZARENE

**Cross-Way Community Church of the Nazarene** • 1248 Buffalo St., Beech Grove. | Pr. Mark Ramsey. | Sun.: 11 a.m. | CrosswayCCN.

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**Tallwood Chapel Community Church** • 5560 S. Shelby St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 787-5595. | Pr. Daniel Smith | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | BIBLE CHURCH, Ministry of HOLY WORD.

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**Greenwood Presbyterian Church** • 102 W. Main St., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-1259. | Rev. Peter Zinn. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

‡ SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST

**Southside Seventh-Day Adventist** • 4801 Shelbyville Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 786-7002. | Pr. Brian Yensho. | Services Sat.: 11 a.m. | Sabbath School: 9:30 a.m. | southsideadventist.org. | Health Ministries, CHIP+: chiphealth.com.

‡ SOUTHERN BAPTIST

**Calvary Baptist Church** • 200 Sunset Blvd., Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-5743. | Josh Blight, Associate Pastor of Youth & Families. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9 a.m. | Something for All Ages.

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**Trinity Baptist Church** • 375 E. Southport Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 881-2122. | Pr. Douglas Rumsey. | Sun. Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. | Sun. Services: 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Wed. Bible Study: 7 p.m.

‡ UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

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**Zion United Church of Christ** • 8916 E. Troy Ave., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 862-4136. | Pr. Sarah Frische-Mouri Hannigan. | Sun.: 8:15 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 9:30-10:15 a.m. | zionuccindy.net.

‡ UNITED METHODIST

**Center United Methodist Church** • 5445 Bluff Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 784-1101 | Email: info@center-umc.org. | Sun. Traditional Worship: 9 a.m. & Contemporary Worship: 11:15 a.m.

**Edgewood United Methodist** • 1820 E. Epler Ave. | Ph: (317) 784-6086. | Rev. Paul Wagner. | Sun. Worship: 9 a.m. | Sunday School: 10:15 a.m. | edgewoodumc-indy.org. | "The Church for The Next 100 Years." | We are on

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**Smith Valley United Methodist Church** • 5293 Old Smith Valley Road, Greenwood. | Ph: (317) 881-1641. | Sun. Worship: 9:30 a.m. | Sunday School: 11 a.m. | Bible Study Wed.: 6:30 p.m. | smithvalleyumc.org.

**Whiteland United Methodist Church** • 309 Main St., Whiteland | Ph: 317-535-4287 | Rev. Bill Clark | Sun. Worship 10:30 | WUMCINDIANA.org | WUMC01.

‡ UNITY

**Unity of Indianapolis Church of the Daily Word** • 907 N. Delaware St., Indpls. | Ph: (317) 635-4066. | Rev. Bob Uhlar, Senior Minister & Rev. Carla Golden, Director Lay Ministries. | Celebration: 10 a.m. | unityofindy.com.

‡ WESLEYAN

**Circle of Hope Wesleyan Church** • 120 S. 4th Ave., Beech Grove. | Ph: (317) 507-3905. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. | Wed.: 6:30 p.m. | Food Pantry: 2nd & 4th Wed. 5-7 p.m.

**Southview Wesleyan Church** • 4700 Shelbyville Road, Indpls. | Ph: (317) 783-0404. | Pr. Rick Matthews. | Sun.: 10:30 a.m. & 6 p.m. | Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Weekly Devotion



6 A son honors his father, and a servant his master: if then I be a Father, where is My honor? and if I be a Master, where is My fear? saith the Lord of hosts unto you, O priests, that despise My name. And you say, Wherein have we despised Your name?

7 You offer polluted bread upon My altar; and you say, Wherein have we polluted You? In that you say, The table of the Lord is contemptible.

8 And if you offer the blind for sacrifice, is it not evil? and if you offer the lame and sick, is it not evil? Offer it now unto your governor; will he be pleased with you, or accept your person? saith the Lord of hosts.

MALACHI 1:6-8

How and what we offer God in return for His love and grace reveals our attitude toward Him in the plainest way. We all know that we cannot buy our way into His grace, otherwise it would not be grace. We cannot go to Ticket Master and purchase a ticket on a commercial flight that will take us to heaven, no grace in that either.

God gives us His love freely and "freely" so many accept it. It is free to us, but it cost Him a dear price which was the life of His only begotten Son.

When we go to the grocery store or the pharmacy or the hospital we expect to pay through the nose as they say for the product that we receive in either of these places. Little grace is experienced in any of those commercial places we frequent. However, we take from God and expect to give little or nothing in return for a thing more valuable than anything this world can provide to us. For that matter, the world would not be able to provide these things were it not for the continued grace of God. The world takes

from what God puts into the earth and commercializes it and we accept that without too much of a complaint. But when God asks us for the 10 percent of our income we moan as though it is way too much. We will find out that He asks for it to multiply it and give it back in ways we cannot imagine. Those who refuse to give God what is His find out that what they keep that belongs to Him does not go very far. More later.

God bless and go and have a great day.

Paul A. Kirby is the pastor at the Church of God at 3939 S. Emerson Ave.



## Public/Legal

## LEGAL/PUBLIC NOTICE

**Notice of Petition for Change of Name: Lisa Diane McGarretty**, whose mailing address is 704 S SR 135 Suite D105, Greenwood, IN 46143, in Johnson County, Indiana, hereby gives notice that Lisa Diane McGarretty has filed a petition in the Johnson Superior Court 4 requesting that her name be changed to Lisa Diane McGarretty from Lisa Diane Bottorff. Notice is further given that the hearing will be held on said Petition on Oct. 1, 2019 at 11:30 a.m. in Johnson Co. Superior Ct. 4, 5 E. Jefferson St., Franklin, IN.

**PUBLIC NOTICE AUCTION OF PROPERTY BY Nick's Packing Service, Inc.** Public auction of personal property including household goods, furniture, non-perishables, belonging to the following persons: Cathy Skaggs, Thomas Baldwin, Phillip Hill. On Thursday, August 29, 2019 at 6:30PM & Andrew Cullen, Andrea Booker On Thursday, September 5, 2019 at 6:30PM. The location for the auction is: Mike Heime Auction Services 59 N. 2nd Ave, Beech Grove, IN 46107

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