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May 19, 2024



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Jesus said to his disciples: “When the Advocate comes whom I will send you from the Father, the Spirit of truth that proceeds from the Father, he will testify to me.”
- Jn 15:26

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MASS TIMES

Saturday - 4:00 pm

Sunday - 8:00 am, 10:00 am, 6:30 pm

Weekend Mass may be viewed online: www.saintjosephparish.org

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday - 12:05 pm

OFFICE HOURS: Monday-Thursday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm,

Friday: 9:00 am-12:00 pm

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CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS

Marriage: Active parish membership of 6 months is required before a wedding date may be set.

Reconciliation: Saturdays from 9 until approximately 9:30 am or call for an appointment.

Baptism: Please call the Parish Office 2 months in advance.

Anointing of the Sick: Please call the Parish Office anytime.

REACHING IN, REACHING OUT, REACHING GOD

Br. Ray's Reflections

Happy Pentecost! We complete our Easter season with the feast of Pentecost, and we cry out to the Spirit to renew us and refresh us. The power of the Spirit is sometimes overlooked or underestimated. When the Spirit is not alive in our lives, it's usually because we are trying to control the Spirit. It's easier to live lukewarm lives than being open to the power of the Spirit. The Spirit will never allow us to be lukewarm but calls us to be passionate, bold, courageous, compassionate and extravagant with our love! It is that power that we celebrate today. We have this moment to light up the world and the Spirit begs us not to miss it.

Two of our adults will be going to the Cathedral this weekend to receive their Confirmation. For various reasons, they did not make their Confirmation with their class. Many of us who received our Confirmation in our youth may have just gone through the motions. We may have done it because our parents told us or because our friends were doing it, but these men are choosing to receive the sacrament at this moment in their lives. To hear their testimonies as to how God has worked in their lives gave me chills. Both men are choosing to be confirmed because they truly want the Spirit to guide them to be even better men to their families and to the world. They have both chosen "Joseph" for their Confirmation name as they want to be like Joseph in their fatherly roles. I am so grateful to have these men in our parish. We are blessed. Please pray for them as they receive this special sacrament.

*Jeffrey Bernards
Stephen Umhoefer*

Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and kindle in them the fire of your love!

Trustee Election This Weekend

The Trustee election is this weekend at all the Masses. Ballots will be in the pews and will be collected at Mass. The bios of the two candidates are on the ballot. Please take the opportunity to vote for this important parish position.

Parishioners may also vote at the Parish Office through the close of business hours on Monday, May 20. The new trustee will be announced in the bulletin.

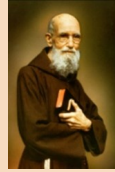
Please Pray For...

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill.

Remember also our nursing home residents and shut-ins, and pray for the intentions recorded in our Prayer Book of Intentions.

Please pray for our parishioners or family members of parishioners who have died.

SCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS



*Blessed Solanus Casey
Pray for Us*

Tuesday, May 21

12:05 pm Dec. Linda Pocan and
Members of St. Joseph Parish
12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions

Wednesday, May 22

12:05 pm Dec. Patrick Rohrer

Friday, May 24

12:05 pm Dec. John Nelson

Saturday, May 25

4:00 pm Dec. Al Tyczkowski

Sunday, May 26

8:00 am Dec. Donna Koeller
10:00 am Dec. Donald & Lois Weinfurter
6:30 pm Dec. Barbara Kozlowski

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, May 20

6:30 pm Kitchen Renovation Committee
Meeting, Holly Hall

Tuesday, May 21

1:00 pm Prayer Shawl, LL10-12

Thursday, May 23

6:30 pm Parish Family Life Mtg., Holly Hall

Saturday, May 25

9:00 am Private Reconciliation

Home Missions—Our Own Needs

This weekend, we take up the collection for Home Missions—Our Own Needs. This consolidated collection benefits the Black and Indian Missions, Catholic Communication Campaign (CCC), Catholic University of America, and Catholic Home Missions dioceses. Envelopes are in the back of church on the radiators. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this appeal.

Congratulations Calendar Raffle Winners

May 5—Henry Meiers—\$25

May 6—Pat & Doug Becker—\$25

May 7—Kurt Mikolite—\$25

May 8—Mary Schulz—\$25

May 9—Tracy Christman—\$25

May 10—Linda Fenske—\$25

May 11—Cis Holzhauser—\$25

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Mission Trip Brat Fry – May 19th

St. Joe's students are planning a mission trip to Sisseton, South Dakota this July to work on the Lake Traverse Reservation. To help raise funds, the team will be hosting a Brat Fry at the Festival Foods on Northland Avenue on **Sunday, May 19 from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm**. Please come support our team as they prepare for the trip!

Parish Office Hours

The Parish Office will be closed on Memorial Day, May 27.

Please note our Parish Office hours on Fridays are from 9:00 am—12:00 Noon. Thank you!

Graduation Mass



On **Saturday, June 1st at our 4:00 pm Mass**, we will be honoring our St. Joseph Parish High School Seniors, College, and Graduate School Graduates. We are hoping you will wear your cap and gown and attend this Mass.

Please contact Ben Wolf at: bwolf@stjoesparish.org or 920-734-7195 by **May 28th** to let him know if you will be attending. Thank you!

Volunteers Needed for Watering the Flowers

We are looking for one or two subs to help out occasionally beginning in late May until September with our flowers around St. Joe's with planting, watering and fall cleanup. If you have any questions or are interested in helping, contact Marian Kaufman at: 920-660-9414. Training will be provided.

WE NEED YOU!



The Coffee and Donuts Ministry needs your help. We are running short on volunteers. Our PC (Post Covid) Coffee and Donuts/Cookies Socials after the weekend Masses are extremely well attended. Unfortunately, it is getting harder and harder to find volunteers who are willing to help.

This Ministry involves showing up 20 minutes before Mass to set up and staying 45 minutes to clean up after the social. Depending on which Mass you attend, you will either serve cookies or donuts along with coffee, juice and water. There will be a sign-up sheet in the back of church, or you can email Jane Wilz at: jwilz@stjoesparish.org.

FOR WHERE TWO OR THREE ARE GATHERED TOGETHER IN MY NAME,
THERE I AM IN THE MIDST OF THEM. Matthew 18:20

Church Chuckle

Why did the unemployed man get excited while reading his Bible?
He thought he saw a job.

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Financial News

(5/4/24 - 5/5/24)

Tithing Needed.....\$16,777.00
Last Week's Tithing\$11,658.16
Auto Withdrawal \$490.00
Children's Collection\$33.00
IRA's/Donations.....\$950.00

Parish Support Through Collections

(7/01/23—4/30/24)

Budgeted

\$739,916.70

Actual

\$820,152.29

April Outreach Programs

Milk Money \$896.37
St. Joseph Food Program \$310.00
LEAVEN.....\$55.00
Pillars\$80.00

Green contribution envelopes for our Outreach Programs are on the radiator in back of Church.

Thank you for your financial support!

Readings for the Week of May 19

Sunday: Vigil: Gn 11:1-9 or Ex 19:3-8a,
16-20b or Ez 37:1-14 or Jl 3:1-5
Ps 104:1-2, 24, 35, 27-28, 29, 30 (see 30)
Rom 8:22-27
Jn 7:37-39

Day: Acts 2:1-11

Ps 104:1, 24, 29-30, 31, 34 (see 30)
1 Cor 12:3b-7, 12-13 or Gal 5:16-25
Jn 20:19-23 or Jn 15:26-27; 16:12-15

Monday: Gn 3:9-15, 20 or Acts 1:12-14

Ps 87:1-2, 3 and 5, 6-7

Jn 19:25-34

Tuesday: Jas 4:1-10

Ps 55:7-8, 9-10a, 10b-11a, 23

Mk 9:30-37

Wednesday: Jas 4:13-17

Ps 49:2-3, 6-7, 8-10, 11

Mk 9:38-40

Thursday: Jas 5:1-6

Ps 49:14-15ab,
15cd-16, 17-18, 19-20

Mk 9:41-50

Friday: Jas 5:9-12

Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8-9, 11-12

Mk 10:1-12

Saturday: Jas 5:13-20

Ps 141:1-2, 3 and 8

Mk 10:13-16 ©LPi