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August 13, 2023



19th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Peter said to him in reply, “Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.” He said, “Come.” Peter got out of the boat and began to walk on the water toward Jesus.
- Mt 14:28-29

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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

ST FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC SCHOOLS.... 920-735-9380

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

Wow...what a grand celebration we had with our Outdoor Mass last weekend! The music was superb, readers proclaimed the Word with conviction, Sacristans and many other hands helped set up for Mass, and our BBQ was delicious! Thank you to all who made this day so wonderful. If I begin to name names, I will forget someone. You know who you are! Please know how appreciative I am to all of you. It was truly a wonderful and memorable day.

The other thank you goes to all of those who so faithfully take care of our gardens and flower beds all around the church. The flowers are incredible. In my last parish, we had a professional landscaping company working on the grounds of the parish. The beauty of our grounds looks more than professional! It's truly an act of love by all those who till the soil, weed the gardens and create beauty all-around us. Please stop by our Solanus Casey prayer garden to take a look at our beautiful flowers. Again, thank you, thank you, thank you!

Our Parish is truly shining these days and I continue to look forward to seeing how God will work with us to bring even more glorious moments to this sacred place! Thank you for being part of St. Joe's.



GriefShare - Loss of Spouse Session

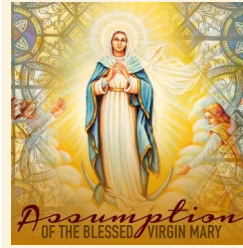


Monday, August 28
10:00 am—12:00 pm
St. Joseph Parish—Rooms 209-211

Two hour session created specifically for those who've recently suffered the loss of their spouse. Our compassionate facilitators, Judy McKendry and Joel Staffaroni, start you down the path of healing as you adjust to your new way of life.

Class size is limited. Registration at: www.griefshare.org is required to reserve your place.

The Assumption of Mary



The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary is a Holy Day of Obligation.

On Tuesday, August 15, we will offer two Masses at: 12:05 pm & 6:30 pm.

Parish Family Life Committee Meeting

Please join the **Parish Family Life Committee on Monday, August 14, at 6:00 pm in Holly Hall** for a brainstorming session. St. Joe's is your parish, and we would like to know what activities you would like to do as a parish family. The meeting is open to everyone ages 16 and older. Teens aged 12 to 16 are also encouraged to attend with a parent. No registration is required. We look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Eucharistic Adoration



Eucharistic Adoration is held on the **3rd Thursday of the month at 5:30 pm. On August 17th**, Social Concerns, Prayer Garden, Building & Grounds and Prayer Shawl Ministries will be gathering.

All parishioners are welcome to attend.

Congratulations Calendar Raffle Winners

- July 30—Cathy & Mike Miller—\$25
- July 31—Joe & Ann Knuijt—\$25
- August 1—Madyson Garza—\$25
- August 2—Vivian & Richard Wieseckel—\$25
- August 3—Michelle Witthuhn—\$25
- August 4—Richard Tappa—\$25
- August 5—Julie Vosters—\$25

Please Pray For...

Please pray for all our parishioners who are ill:
Lynn Bayness, Jackie Groth, Hunter Prill, Susan Richard, Mary Witczak

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:
Ronald Kazda, Lois Weinfurter

Part Time Facilities & Maintenance Manager

Position Summary

This position assumes responsibility for the maintenance of St. Joseph’s multi-building site to ensure the facilities, equipment, and grounds are fully operational, clean, and safe for all parish-related activities. Duties include, but are not limited to, the following:

Key Responsibilities

- Performs or oversees all work related to the maintenance and repair of HVAC, plumbing, electrical, landscape, waste management and security as well as building inspections.
- Manages all building custodial personnel, as well as an inventory of custodial, maintenance and operational supplies.
- Ensures all church facilities and grounds are well maintained and ready for Sunday services and mid-week events.
- Serves as primary contact for facility related emergencies, which may require evening and weekend work.

Qualifications

- Previous (3-5 years) property management and maintenance experience preferred.

For more information, please email Br. Ray at: rstadmeyer@stjoesparish.org or call 920-734-7195.

Financial News

Tithing Needed\$16,777.00
 Last Week’s Tithing.....\$10,378.25
 Auto Withdrawal\$470.00
 Children’s Collection..... \$25.00
 IRA’s/Donations \$3,245.00

Thank you for your financial support!

Readings for the Week of August 13

Sunday: 1 Kgs 19:9a, 11-13a

Ps 85:9, 10, 11-12, 13-14 (8)

Rom 9:1-5

Mt 14:22-33

Monday: Dt 10:12-22

Ps 147:12-13, 14-15, 19-20

Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2

Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14

1 Cor 15:54b-57

Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab

Ps 45:10, 11, 12, 16

1 Cor 15:20-27

Lk 1:39-56

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-12

Ps 66:1-3a, 5 and 8, 16-17

Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17

Ps 114:1-2, 3-4, 5-6

Mt 18:21—19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13

Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22 and 24

Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29

Ps 16:1-2a, and 5, 7-8, 11

Mt 19:13-15

Next Sunday: Is 56:1, 6-7

Ps 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8 (4)

Rom 11:13-15, 29-32

Mt 15:21-28 ©LPi

Pizza & BINGO!



Come join us for a pizza lunch and an afternoon of Bingo on **Tuesday, September 5 at 12:45 pm!**

Please call the Parish Office at: 920-734-7195 to let us know you are coming. **Reservations will be taken until Friday, September 1st at 2:00 pm. No lunch reservations will be**

taken after Friday at 2:00 pm. This allows us to order food accurately.

All are welcome! Sponsored by the St. Joseph Senior Committee.

AUDITIONS for K-8 students

by appointment

Saturday morning, August 26

CHRISTMAS STARS



Do you love to sing and dance?

Fill out a cast application and schedule an audition to be considered for the 2023 cast.

Go to www.christmasstars.org and click or tap the Join Our Cast button.

Fill out an online cast application and get a link to schedule an audition.

Students entering Kindergarten through 8th grade
 Rehearsals are most Sunday evenings, beginning mid-September.

Auditions, rehearsals and performances at the Xavier Fine Arts Theatre.
 2023 show dates: Nov. 30-Dec. 3 & Dec. 7-10

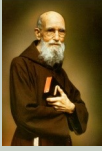
Non-Raffle RAFFLE

Thanks to all those who have been able to support our “Non-Raffle Raffle”. It has been successful and, especially, helpful in paying for our summer expenses.

We invite you to offer a gift of \$35 and return it in the envelope you received with our letter. Thank you for your generosity.

AUGUST 13, 2023

SCHEDULED MASS INTENTIONS



Blessed Solanus Casey
Pray for Us

Tuesday, August 15

12:05 pm Dec. Tom Harp
12:30 pm St. Anthony Devotions
6:30 pm Geralyn Balliet

Wednesday, August 16

12:05 pm Dec. Phat & Doris Filz

Friday, August 18

12:05 pm Dec. Jerry Braun

Saturday, August 19

4:00 pm Dec. Steve & Irene Gehrman

Sunday, August 20

8:00 am Dec. Carl Thiel
10:00 am Dec. Janice Diedrick and
Members of St. Joseph Parish
6:30 pm Dec. Patrick Rohrer

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, August 14

6:00 pm Parish & Family Life Mtg., Holly Hall

Tuesday, August 15

1:00 pm Prayer Shawl, LL12

Wednesday, August 16

6:00 pm World Relief Meeting, Holly Hall
6:30 pm Fall Festival Meeting, Great Hall

Thursday, August 17

5:30 pm Eucharistic Adoration in Church

Saturday, August 19

9:00 am Private Reconciliation

***Blood Pressure Screening after 4 pm Mass**

Sunday, August 20

***Blood Pressure Screening after 8 & 10 am Masses**

1:00 pm OFS Gathering, Holly Hall

Fall Festival - September 9 & 10

Fall Festival is only a few weeks away! Your help is needed to make this year's event a success. Beginning the weekend of August 19/20, we will pre-sell tickets for dinner Saturday night and the raffle baskets. If you would like to help sell these tickets, see the sign-up sheets in the back of church. Sign up sheets to volunteer for the weekend will be available shortly.

Please return all "leaf items" to the Parish Office **by August 26.**



ST JOSEPH PARISH

Fall Bible Study – 1 Corinthians: Living as Christians

Join us for six weeks of study on another amazing book from the New Testament. We'll meet on six Friday mornings, 10:00 – 11:30 AM in St. Joseph Parish Center from September 22 through October 27 to consider a deeper conversion in Christ by studying the first of Paul's writings to the Corinthians.

Pre-register on or before Noon on Friday, September 8 so we can order study materials for those registered. Cost of study materials is \$8.00 (cash or checks payable to St. Joseph Parish). Include payment in an envelope with your name and phone number and return envelope through weekend collection or mail or drop off at the Parish Office. We look forward to learning and sharing faith with you!

Faith Formation Registration



On-line registration for the 2023-2024 Faith Formation year for grades K-11 is NOW OPEN!! Please fill out the necessary information at the following link: <https://app.gabrielsoft.com/auth/wigbdioocese/85/REManagement/Register>.

This link is also available on our website under Education/Faith Formation. A confirmation email will be sent after you've submitted this form with more information about payment options. The calendar will be available on our website in mid-August.

Family Fun Night

We are offering informal family fun nights for our parish this summer. Please join us on **Wednesday, August 23 from 6:30 - 8:00 pm in Holly Hall for a Game Night & Backpack Blessing.** We will gather to play some silly games and at the end of the evening, have a blessing of backpacks to honor students and educators entering the 2023-2024 academic year. All are welcome! Sponsored by Faith Formation.

The Family PB&J Drive

Help us stock the shelves! The Family's First Annual PB&J Drive runs until August 31. Accepting donations of non-perishable peanut butter and jelly to help families in need in our community. Collection boxes are in the Great Hall and Parish Office. More information at: www.thefamily.net.

Weekend Lunch Volunteers Needed!

THE SALVATION ARMY
10:30 am - 12:45 pm
Saturdays / Sundays
Contact Alli
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