

St. Joseph Church

March 1, 2020

First Sunday of Lent

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

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www.stjosephdyer.org



Vision

Enthusiasm and Love of God and Neighbor to inspire and encourage interpersonal relationships in the St. Joseph Faith Community in order that an atmosphere of sharing our faith, time, talent, treasure and hospitality will expand the Kingdom of God.

Prayer

God of all peoples, how blessed we are to gather in faith at Eucharist, for it is in Your Word and Sacrament that we discover that we are the Community called the Body of Christ.

Our St. Joseph Parish Vision is filled with enthusiasm for loving God and neighbor because Your Kingdom expands, Creator Father, in an atmosphere of interpersonal relationships.

May we the members of St. Joseph Parish continue to grow in faith during our Pastoral Planning Process, so that our Parish Vision will be fulfilled as we discover that as parish we are Community in Christ.

Amen.

Welcome, New Parishioners

Please register by calling or stopping in the parish office.

Office Hours

Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Parish Telephones

Parish Office:..... 865-2271

Religious Education Office:

(At St. Michael the Archangel) 322-3077

Staff Directory

Pastor: Rev. Ted J. Mauch, K.H.S.

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Director of Music & Liturgy: William Coble

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Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 PM

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 6:00PM

Weekday Masses

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 9:00 AM

Holy Day Masses

Please see schedule inside bulletin.

Sacramental Life

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 3:30 to 4:00 PM

Sacrament of Baptism

12:00 Noon.

Arrangements must be made previously.

Instruction class for parents required.

Sacrament of Marriage

Arrangements must be made at least six months in advance.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Call the office any time.

Knights of Columbus

Grand Knight: Steve Costa 219-365-4204

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, *in writing.*

PLEASE LIKE ST. JOSEPH PARISH ON FACEBOOK



Monday, March 2, Lenten Weekday
 9:00 AM Ken Blue

Tuesday, March 3, Lenten Weekday
 9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Rod Keelan Family

Wednesday, March 4, Lenten Weekday
 No 9:00 AM Mass

Thursday, March 5, Lenten Weekday
 9:00 AM Gregory Swidergal

Friday, March 6, Lenten Weekday
 9:00 AM Poor Souls
 7:00 PM Deceased Members of the Arlene Stuchlak Family

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 7, Vigil: 2nd Sunday in Lent
 4:30 PM Kevin Andrew Garza

Sunday, March 8, 2nd Sunday in Lent
 8:00 AM The People of the Parish
 10:00 AM John Siddons
 6:00 PM Claudia Wing

Church in Central & Eastern Europe

This week, our second collection supports the Church in Central and Eastern Europe. Your donation today helps restore the Church and build the future in more than 20 countries still struggling to recover from Communist rule. Funds from this collection support reconstruction, education, formation, and poverty outreach. Please be generous to the collection today. For more information, please visit www.usccb.org/ceee.

You Are Invited!

On Sunday, March 15th after the 8am & 10am Masses, St. Thomas More School, St. Michael School and St. John Evangelist School will have representatives in the Gathering Room to answer any questions you may have about their schools. Please stop by after mass to obtain any information you need.

Coffee and donuts will also be available.



First Fridays at St. Joseph Parish

You are invited Friday, March 6th, to be part of our First Friday devotions. This will be every First Friday, each month. In all (3) vestibules there is a sign-up sheet asking for your name and phone number to be an adorer of the Blessed Sacrament.

First Friday Schedule

9AM—Holy Mass (Ordinary Form)
 9:45AM-6:45PM—Eucharistic Adoration (10 Hours of Adoration)
 Noon Angelus + Midday Prayer
 5PM—Evening Prayer
 6:30PM—Benediction
 7PM—Holy Mass (Extraordinary Form)

Note: Ordinary Form = English
 Extraordinary Form = Traditional Latin Mass

Northwest Indiana Catholic Men's Conference
 Saturday, March 28, 2020

Wives and mothers give your husbands and sons a lasting gift! It's one short day where they can find new meaning in their life, gain a game plan for holiness, set their faith on fire, and renew their commitments to God, family and others. Feedback from past conference attendees indicates they will not regret the experience. The event will be on Saturday, March 28, 2020 beginning with 8:00am Mass at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Chesterton, IN. Cost is \$30 for adults; \$20 for college and high school students. To register visit the Conference web site at www.nwicatholicmen.com.

Southlake Deanery Event

Bishop McClory would like to get the chance to meet with as many people as possible in his first months here. The bishop will celebrate Mass at the following locations at 7:00pm. A light reception will follow after the Masses so that the faithful might have a chance to meet and greet the bishop,

Tuesday, March 3—St. James Highland (Southlake Deanery)

Thursday, March 5—Sacred Heart, LaPorte

Tuesday, March 10—Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Hessville

Thursday, March 12—St. Paul, Valparaiso

Stewardship of Treasure Report

February 22nd & 23rd

Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00

Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount

Collected: \$6133.54

Charity: \$303.00

Churches in Eastern Europe: \$50.00

Food Pantry: \$5.00

50/50 Raffle: \$195.00

Liturgy of the Hours in Lent

Starting Thursday, February 27th, we will have Morning and Evening Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours celebrated in the church daily.

Morning Prayer—Monday—Friday at 6am

Evening Prayer—Monday—Friday at 6pm

Morning Prayer—Saturday & Sunday—

9:15am

Evening Prayer—Saturday & Sunday—

5:30pm

The Liturgy of the Hours is the praying of the Psalms and Scriptures as prayed daily by all priests and men & women religious throughout the world.

This is an opportunity for those with busy schedules throughout the week to spend some time in prayer at church before or after work

STM Career Networking Group

Wednesday, March 11, 2020

(changed to 2nd Wednesday of each month)

7:00—8:30pm

Recruiters, Robots & Resumes
What Recruiters and Robots look for on Resumes

Presented by:

Jim Kaczka

STM Career Networking

Where: STM Weiss Center
8635 Calumet Ave.

When: The 2nd Wednesday of every month (new day)

Email: STMCareerGroup@gmail.com

Free—Open to All

For those who are unemployed (in transition), new to the job market, change careers or who can offer employment opportunities through their current professional connections.

Also have your Cover Letter, Resume or Thank You note critiqued by a professional.

Andrean High School

Family Information Night

Thursday, March 19, 2020 from 7:00 to 8:00pm

Entrance Exam

Sunday, March 15, 2020 from 1:00 to 4:00pm

Saturday, April 25, 2020 from 1:00 to 4:00pm

Helping Hands Food Pantry

There will be a second collection next weekend, March 7th & 8th for our Food Pantry.

You are also invited to bring groceries to help restock our shelves.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, March 2

6:00am—Morning Prayer in Church
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in Church

Tuesday, March 3

6:00am—Morning Prayer in Church
9:45am—50/50 raffle drawing
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in Church
7:00pm—Mass w/Bishop McClory at
St. James, Highland

Wednesday, March 4

6:00am—Morning Prayer in Church
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in Church

Thursday, March 5

6:00am—Morning Prayer in Church
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in Church
6:30pm—Family Rosary
7:00pm—Choir practice

Friday, March 6

6:00am—Morning Prayer in Church
9:00am—Mass
5:00pm—Evening Prayer in Church
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7:00pm—Stations of the Cross at
St. Maria Goretti

Saturday, March 7

9:15am—Morning Prayer in Church
4:30pm—Mass
5:30pm—Evening Prayer in Church

Sunday, March 8

8:00am—Mass
9:15am—Morning Prayer in Church
10:00am—Mass
5:30pm—Evening Prayer in Church
6:00pm—Mass

Weekly 50/50 Raffle

**The Number Drawn on
February 18th
Was # 373**

The Winner Would Have Won \$252.50
(This amount will be added to next week)

Drawings will be held every
Tuesday at 9:45am
in the Gathering Room

All registered members of St. Joseph Parish are eligible for the 50/50 raffle. **YOU MUST USE 2 SEPARATE ENVELOPES FOR THE CURRENT WEEK EVEN IF YOU ARE A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC, HOME-BOUND OR WEEKLY CONTRIBUTOR. ALL CONTRIBUTORS MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY MUST MAKE THEIR SACRIFICIAL CONTRIBUTION BY THE FIRST SUNDAY OF THE MONTH AND INDICATING ON EACH SUBSEQUENT WEEKLY ENVELOPE THAT IS PLACED IN THE COLLECTION BASKET THAT YOU ARE EITHER A MONTHLY, ELECTRONIC OR HOMEBOUND CONTRIBUTOR.**

You must use your current weekly treasure envelope with your sacrificial amount and the preprinted 50/50 envelope found in the pews with EXACTLY \$5.00. If you are paying by check, you must use **2 checks**, one for the weekly treasure made out to St. Joseph Church and the other check for \$5.00 for the 50/50 raffle made out to St. Joseph Church—50/50 Raffle.

The 50/50 raffle envelope is to be put in the collection along with your sacrificial weekly treasure envelope

**St. Thomas More Holy Name Society
2020 Lenten Fish Fry & Raffle**

Friday, March 6th—4:30pm to 7:30pm
STM Social Center (Gym)

Battered Cod \$10 . Baked Cod \$10 . Shrimp \$10.
Child Portion Dinners \$5
All Dinners include: French Fries . Bread & Butter . Coffee . Condiments. Serve Yourself Sides: Cole Slaw, Salad & Pickled Beets.
Pop, Milk, Desserts, Beer & Wine will be available.

So even if you cannot attend the dinner, your participation in the raffle will help the Holy Name Society fulfill its mission.

Camp Lawrence

Camp Lawrence in Valparaiso is looking for counselors and lifeguards to work for the 6 week summer camp season. Please contact the Catholic Youth Organization for more information. Phone: 219-736-8931 E-mail: nwicyo@comcast.net.

Ministry Schedule
March 7th & 8th

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—Paul Jarzembowski, Patty Jarzembowski, Isabella Skurka
8:00am—Kathy Cusick, Carol Jablonski, Pauline Rybicki
10:00am—Dennis Bork, Tamara Fredrickson, Volunteer Needed
6:00pm—Mark Gabrione, Ernie Leicht, Volunteer Needed

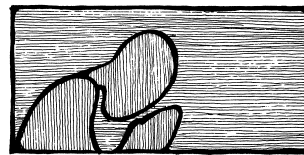
Lectors

4:30pm—George Kucka
8:00am—Karen Ziolkowski
10:00am—Dolores Chavez
6:00pm—Sharon Ruane

Ministry Schedule
March 7th & 8th

Cantors

4:30pm— Celeste Dusek
8:00am— Phyllis Howard
10:00am— Phyllis Howard
6:00pm— Tom Lewandowski



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“The Lord, your God, shall you worship
and him alone shall you serve.”
— *Matthew 4:10*

PRAYER

The value of persistent prayer is not that God will hear us, but that we will finally hear God.
—William McGill

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