

St. Joseph Church

July 25, 2021

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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

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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: Joseph David

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, in writing.

PLEASE LIKE ST. JOSEPH PARISH ON FACEBOOK

**Monday, July 26, Sts. Joachim & Anne**

9:00 AM Raymond & Selma Michuda,
Rest in Peace

Tuesday, July 27, Weekday

9:00 AM Dorothy Greene

Wednesday, July 28, Weekday

No 9:00 AM Mass

Thursday, July 29, St. Martha

9:00 AM Diana & Frank Krist Family

Friday, July 30, Weekday

9:00 AM Deceased Members of the
Taruskin Family

Weekend Mass Intentions**Saturday, July 31, Vigil: 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:30 PM Lorraine Golon
Celebrant: Fr. Ron Zgunda

Sunday, August 1, 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM Adeline Johnson
Celebrant: Fr. Ron Zgunda
10:00 AM The People of the Parish
Celebrant: Fr. Ron Zgunda
6:00 PM Kevin Andrew Garza
Celebrant: Fr. Ron Zgunda

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Enough to Share. So much in the gospel today. Large crowd following Jesus. Nearness of Passover, the remembering of rescue from slavery. The need to eat, thus, the need to provide a meal. A giving of bread and fish by a little boy. Bounty. Sharing. Wasting nothing. Right here in the heart of summer, it is time to read the letter of Pope Francis, *Fratelli Tutti*, on fraternity and social friendship. [Download a free study guide from the USCCB: https://www.usccb.org/resources/fratelli-tutti-study-guide](https://www.usccb.org/resources/fratelli-tutti-study-guide).

- Even if it seems I may not have enough, what food can I share?
- Even if it seems I may not have enough, what comfort can I provide for someone?
- Even if it seems I may not have enough, what do I have that I will not waste, that I will gather up, save and recycle?

Sunday Readings Reflections

8/1/2021

First Reading — The people of Israel receive bread from heaven in response to their grumbling (Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15).

Psalm — The Lord gave them bread from heaven (Psalm 78).

Second Reading — Put on the new self that has been created in God's way (Ephesians 4:17, 20-24).

Gospel — I am the bread of life; whoever comes to me will never hunger (John 6:24-35).

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Assurance

Are there times when life's struggles
Seem too much to bear,
All your work's never finished
And you don't even care?
The whole world has gone crazy
With sadness and despair,
And you've almost decided
That God isn't fair.
But there's no need to worry
And nothing to fear,
In God's Word He has promised
To always be near.
He will strengthen and guide you
Each step of the way,
You need only to trust Him,
Have faith as you pray,
And you'll have the assurance
Of comfort and love,
A home with the Savior
In Heaven above

Oran W. Donner

*You are my rock and my
fortress; for Your name's
sake lead and guide me.
.*

Psalm 31:4

ONE LORD, ONE FAITH

Do you suppose the authors of the four Gospels were aware of today's first reading from the second book of Kings? Of course they were. The prophet Elisha fed a hundred men with twenty barley loaves in order to prove God's power. This same miracle, now multiplied by more people fed by fewer loaves, is attributed to Jesus in all four Gospels. In today's passage from John we even have the detail that the loaves were barley, reminding every pious Jew of that miracle that Elisha worked. Yet Jesus went into hiding when they wanted to make him king. It is the passage from Paul's Letter to the Ephesians that gives us the reason for this. The power of Jesus comes from God. It is not meant merely to feed us, or to provide one group with a king. There is one Lord, one faith, one God and Father of all who works through Jesus Christ and through us all.

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4th Annual Golf Outing To Benefit Franciscan Sisters

Online registration is now available for the 4th Annual Golf Outing of the Franciscan Sisters of the Sacred Heart on August 23, 2021, at Odyssey, 19110 S. Ridgeland Ave., Tinley Park, IL; www.fssh.net. The cost of \$100 per golfer includes golf, cart, lunch, drinks and a full after-golf buffet served inside. A dinner-only option is available for \$35. Raffle tickets for \$5 each will be available at the event with gift cards for restaurants and big box stores as prizes. Split-the-pot will be offered, too. Gather your friends and meet new ones on the grounds of a beautiful golf course. Proceeds will benefit the Franciscan Sisters and their ministries. Questions? Call Gerry at 815-464-3882,

JESUS, I TRUST IN YOU

**OUR LADY OF LOURDES,
PRAY FOR US.**

Stewardship of Treasure Report

July 17th & 18th

Weekly Budget Amount Needed:

\$6051.00

Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount

Collected: \$6484.00

Charity: \$3.00

Religious Education: \$0

Assumption: \$5.00

Food Pantry: \$625.00

50/50 Raffle: \$105.00

Parade of Polka Bands Picnic!

Sunday, August 1st

Hammond Mohawks Picnic Grove

404 Calumet Ave., Hammond, IN

Doors open at 12:30pm—Polka Music from 1-6pm

Admission \$10 payable at the door
Featuring the following Polka Bands:

- The Music Company
- Tony Blazonczyk's New Phaze
- The IPA Tribute Band
- The D-Street Band
- Tri-City Drive

A full array of your favorite Polish foods and beverages will be available for purchase.

This is a family event and everyone is welcome!

The International Polka Association is a not-for-profit organization formed to promote polka music and our Polish heritage.

Food Pantry News

On our August Pantry Day, August 18th, we will be distributing school supplies to our families who need assistance. We would be grateful if you could help by donating pencils, crayons, folders, pens, glue, etc. Please drop them off in the main vestibule on the wire rack.



THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**Monday, July 26**7:00pm—Finance Council
meeting—Gathering Room**Tuesday, July 27**

9:45am—50/50 Raffle Drawing

Thursday, July 296:00pm—Year of St. Joseph
Holy Hour
6:30pm—Family Rosary**Weekly 50/50 Raffle****The Number Drawn on****July 13th was #372****The Winner Would Have Won \$647.50**

(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, HOMEBOUND 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

FEAST OF FAITH**The Preface Dialogue**

“Lift up your hearts.” “We lift them up to the Lord.” “Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.” “It is right to give him thanks and praise.” With this ancient dialogue we enter the Eucharistic Prayer, the heart of the Mass. These venerable words have been part of the Christian liturgy almost from the beginning—by the time of Hippolytus of Rome (c. 215) they were already fixed in the liturgy.

Several times during the Mass the priest has invited us to pray. There is something different here. We are invited to be “lifted up,” to ascend, to climb the Lord’s mountain, as it were, to go to a new place for this most solemn part of the Mass. And we are invited to a new frame of mind, a sense of joy, of focused dedication: our hearts must not be cast down, but lifted up, and lifted to the Lord. Why? Because we are going to give thanks—we are going to “eucharist!” It is right and just that we do this.

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Catholic Services Appeal—2021**Partners in Christ's Work**

There still is time to pledge or make a donation to this year's CSA. Our goal is \$37,866.00. As of 7/16/21 we have collected \$72,529.00 in pledges and donations. Remember, everything collected past \$37,866.00 comes back 100% to St. Joseph. Thank you to: William Coble.

Ministry Schedule

July 31st & August 1st

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

Lectors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

Ministry Schedule

July 31st & August 1st

Cantors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—



WORKING AND SAVING

Work hard and save your money so when you're old you will be able to buy the things only the young can enjoy.

—Anonymous

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The eyes of all look hopefully to you,
and you give them their food
in due season.

— *Psalm 145:15*



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