

# St. Joseph Church

August 12, 2018

Nineteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

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[www.stjosephdyer.org](http://www.stjosephdyer.org)

Rev. Ted J. Mauch, Pastor

Rev. Mr. Gary Blue, Deacon



## 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: ..... 865-2271

Fax ..... 865-2350

## 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:** Steve Costa 219-365-4204

## Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, *in writing.*



**Monday, August 13, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners

**Tuesday, August 14, St. Maximilian Kolbe**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners

**Tuesday, August 14, Vigil: The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
 7:00PM St. Joseph Parishioners

**Wednesday, August 15, The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners  
 7:00 PM Ernest Staroscsak

**Thursday, August 16, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners  
 6:30 PM Family Rosary

**Friday, August 17, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Edward Beiriger

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, August 18, Vigil: 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 4:30 PM Vladimir Grah

**Sunday, August 19, 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 AM The People of the Parish  
 10:00 AM Tony Maicher  
 6:00 PM Kevin Andrew Garza

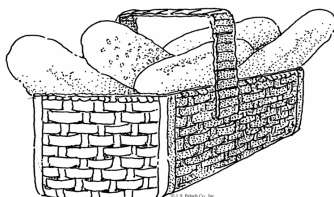
**Religious Education/  
 Faith Formation (RE)**

18/19 RE Registrations are due now or no later than Aug. 15. Book orders need to be placed.

RE begins : Sept. 11 with Holy Mass at 5:30pm

RE Classes begin: Sept. 18: 4:30-5:45

Contact Yvonne Weaver, DRE at 865-2271 or [dre@stjosephdyer.org](mailto:dre@stjosephdyer.org)




**First Friday's at St. Joseph Parish**

You are invited starting Friday, September 7th, to be part of our First Friday devotions. This will be every First Friday, each month. Below is the schedule for First Fridays. 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

**Catholic Services Appeal**

You are still welcome to make a pledge/payment to this year's CSA Appeal. All the monies collected past our goal of \$33,993.00 comes back 100% to our parish.

If you have not made your pledge, please prayerfully consider and call the parish office, 865-2271, for a Pledge Form to send to the Diocesan Office.

Thank You!

### Rachel's Vineyard Retreats

Post Abortion Help and Healing. "My abortion has left me empty, alone and in despair. It has taken me to a place I almost couldn't come back from. The self-hatred I see every time I look in the mirror has been my constant companion for the last ten years."

Making the decision to attend a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat can sometimes be intimidating. Fear of the unknown might be making it harder for you to reach out for help with the emotional and spiritual conflict you may be feeling after your abortion, whether your abortion was recent or decades ago. Married couples, mothers, fathers, grandparents and siblings of aborted children, and those who have been involved in the abortion industry have come to Rachel's Vineyard in search of peace and inner healing.

"I attended a Rachel's Vineyard retreat. The experience of the retreat caused me to feel as if I had been released from prison; a prison of isolation, guilt and shame. Through prayer, sharing, spiritual exercises and confession, I experienced Rachel's Vineyard Retreat: Sept. 14th-16th, Valparaiso, IN. Contact Rosanne at 219-552-2944 or [nwinry@outlook.com](mailto:nwinry@outlook.com). All inquiries confidential.

### Sunday Readings Reflections 8/19/2018

**First Reading** — Wisdom has built her house; she has dressed her meat, mixed her wine, yes, she has spread her table (Proverbs 9:1-6).

**Psalm** — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

**Second Reading** — Be filled with the Spirit, giving thanks always and for everything (Ephesians 5:15-20).

**Gospel** — I am the living bread that came down from heaven (John 6:51-58).

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### Stewardship of Treasure Report

August 4th & 5th

- Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00
- Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount Collected: \$6980.30
- Charity: \$27.00
- Religious Education: \$27.00
- Air Conditioning: \$150.00
- Food Pantry: \$600.00
- 50/50 Raffle:

### Western Days Festival

August 16th—19th

St. Mary Church—525 N. Broad St.—Griffith  
**Festival Food!** - Tacos, Tostadas, Steak Sandwiches, Sausage & Kraut, Baby Back Rib Dinners, Corn on the Cob, BBQ Pork Sandwiches, Baked Potatoes, Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Elephant Ears, Desserts, French Fries, Iced Coffee, Coca Cola Products.

**Entertainment, Festival Gaming! Bingo in air-conditioned hall, Midway of Rides.**

### Respite Care Program For Parents

The Diocese of Gary Apostolate for the Other-abled is starting Friday Night STARs, a respite care program for parents of other-abled children and their siblings. We will provide care for your children between the hours of **5-9pm**, leaving you time to use as you wish. This would be once a month. There will be games, crafts, movies and other activities to keep your child(ren) happily entertained while you enjoy some free time to yourself. We will also have a trained nurse on-site at all times. **For more information, to sign up your child(ren), or to volunteer to assist with the children, please contact Emily Hackett at [ehackett@stm-school.com](mailto:ehackett@stm-school.com) or Adeline Torres at [atorres@dgary.com](mailto:atorres@dgary.com).**

Fridays

**Aug. 31, 2018, Sept. 28, 2018, Oct. 19, 2018, Jan 25, 2019, Feb. 22, 2019, Mar. 29, 2019, April 26, 2019, and May 31, 2019.**

**We are looking for adult and young adult volunteers to help with the children! Children must be signed up 3 days prior to event date in order to attend.**

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Tuesday, August 14**

9:45am—50/50 Raffle drawing  
 7:00pm—Vigil Mass for Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Wednesday, August 15**

9:00am—Mass for Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 10:00am—Noon—Food Pantry pickup in Gathering Room  
 6:00-7:00pm—Food Pantry pickup in Gathering Room  
 7:00pm—Mass for Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

**Thursday, August 16**

6:30pm—Family Rosary  
 7:00pm—Annual Financial Report/ Finance & Pastoral Councils.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Careful readers of the “Treasures” will have noticed that the two columns about the oldest monastic communities in the United States refer to the colonial states. The Louisiana Purchase gained a great treasure for our nation, the Ursuline monastery of New Orleans. Among the greatest pioneers of that city were nuns who came from France on a perilous voyage in 1727, pestered by pirates and tossed by fearsome storms. These were gentle, well-educated Ursulines, yet their first task was to roll up their sleeves and open a hospital to care for the pestilence-ridden colony. Next, they opened a school for girls and launched a plan to educate the women being shipped over from France to marry settlers. In this way, they had enormous influence in molding patterns of family and domestic life.

At Christmastime in 1814, the threat of a British assault on the city was growing. On the terrifying night of January 7, 1815, the women of New Orleans gathered in the monastery chapel to pray that the city be spared from destruction in battle. The mother superior made a vow to have a Mass of Thanksgiving on that date every year should the Americans win. That night, Our Lady of Prompt Succor, to whom the nuns had great devotion, became the protector and patron of this great city. The convent in the French Quarter is the oldest standing building in the Mississippi valley, and the only surviving building of the French colonial period. The nuns relocated in 1824, but their old monastery is preserved as a museum and archives for the Archdiocese of New Orleans. The school the nuns began, Ursuline Academy, is the oldest continuously operating Catholic school, and school for women, in the United States.

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**Weekly 50/50 Raffle**

The Number Drawn on August 5th  
 Was # 368

The Winner Would Have Won \$2,170.00  
 (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.

**Angry?**

A kind answer soothes angry feelings,  
 But harsh words stir them up.

—Proverbs 15.1

**Ministry Schedule**

**August 18th & 19th**

**Extraordinary Ministers**

4:30pm—Florence Andrzejewski, Judy Nowacki,  
Volunteer Needed

8:00am—Carol Jablonski, Patti Pawl,  
Tim Pawl

10:00am—Dennis Bork, John Hearne,  
Tamara Fredrickson

6:00pm—Isabella Skurka, Volunteer Needed,  
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**Lectors**

4:30pm—Sue Blue

8:00am—Judy Kline

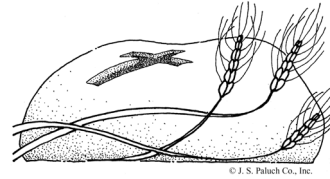
10:00am—Manny Hermano

6:00pm—Sharon Ruane

**ANGER'S OFFSPRING**

As long as anger lives, she continues to be the  
fruitful mother of many unhappy children.

—St. John Climacus



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I am the living bread that came down from heaven;  
whoever eats this bread will live forever.

— *John 6:51*

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