

# St. Joseph Church

October 13, 2019

Twenty-Eighth Sunday

In Ordinary Time

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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.

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## 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

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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, October 14, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners  
**Tuesday, October 15, St. Teresa of Jesus**  
 9:00 AM Kerry Ann Keca  
**Wednesday, October 16, Weekday**  
 No 9:00 AM Mass  
**Thursday, October 17, St. Ignatius of Antioch**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners  
**Friday, October 18, St. Luke**  
 9:00 AM Ron Dumbsky

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, October 19, Vigil: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 4:30 PM Lester Komarowski  
**Sunday, October 20, 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
 8:00 AM John Ziolkowski  
 10:00 AM Mike Klausman  
 6:00 PM The People of the Parish

**Sunday Readings Reflections**  
**10/20/19**

**First Reading** — As long as Moses kept his hands raised up, Israel had the better of the fight (Exodus 17:8-13).  
**Psalm** — Our help is from the Lord, who made heaven and earth (Psalm 121).  
**Second Reading** — Remain faithful to what you have learned and believed (2 Timothy 3:14 — 4:2).  
**Gospel** — Will not God secure the rights of his chosen ones who call out to him day and night? (Luke 18:1-8).

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**Jesus is at work.** Four things stand out in this story of ten lepers that Saint Luke alone tells. (1) Jesus is indeed powerful. (2) God, in Jesus, in full of mercy. (3) God is due all thanks and praise. (4) Even foreigners are loved, respected, and saved. Thus, Jesus is at work. So, must we be at work. This will be a busy week for us.

- To whom and in what way will I extend mercy?
- For whom and for what will I give thanks and praise to God?
- How will I embrace the alone, the sick, the outcast., the foreigner?

**Share Our Dreams**

You are invited to the “Share Our Dreams” Gala on November 1st at the Croatian Banquet Hall, Merrillville. All proceeds from this evening benefit Share Foundation with the Handicapped. For details, call 219-778-2585 or visit [sharegala.givesmart.com](http://sharegala.givesmart.com).



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Please welcome the following new parishioners to our St. Joseph Parish Family:

- Jason & Stephanie Bubala and Family
- Usbaldo DeLeon & Jennifer Garcia and Family
- John & Kim Kim and Family
- Francine Maccaroni
- Steve & Alice Maslikowski
- Thomas & Margaret Florek
- Glenn & Deborah Nasakaitis
- Laura Nowak
- Brenton & Kristen Ruder and Family
- Nicholas & Katherine Schafer and Family

### HEALING AND SALVATION

The readings today speak of healing and salvation. In Second Kings, Naaman, a commander of the army of the king of Syria, develops leprosy. He goes to a stranger, a prophet from Israel, when no one else can cure his disease. Much to his surprise, after a simple bath in the river, he is cured. In Luke’s Gospel, Jesus cures ten lepers and sends them to the priest. Only one, a Samaritan, returns to thank Jesus for his cure and only he hears the words, “Your faith has saved you.” The psalm and Timothy remind us that salvation involves justice, kindness, and faithfulness and forever links us with Jesus. In a world as broken as ours, both healing and salvation are necessary.

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### Catechetical Day

The Southlake Deanery of the Diocese of Gary is hosting a Catechetical Day on Sunday, November 3rd: “Companions on the Journey”. The Conference will be held from 12:00 to 4:30pm and include a Keynote Address, Prayer, Vendors, Snacks, and individual breakout sessions related to catechesis and ministry. Registration cost is \$10 and forms are available by contacting St. Matthias Parish at 219-663-2201.

### Nobody’s Perfect

Nobody’s perfect, all of us have  
 Traits we must overcome,  
 Regrets for the things it is too  
 Late to change,  
 For what we have not, or have done.  
 But we just have to do the best  
 That we can,  
 Believing that God will come through,  
 And if we fall down, we must get  
 Up again,  
 The way that He wants us to do.  
 For nobody’s perfect, once there  
 Was One,  
 Born in a stable dim,  
 Sinless and blameless, whose message  
 Was Love,  
 But the people crucified Him!  
 Grace E. Easley

### Stewardship of Treasure Report

October 5th & 6th

**Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00**  
**Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount Collected: \$5294.00**  
**Charity: \$5.00**  
**First Friday: \$772.50**  
**Food Pantry: \$115.00**  
**50/50 Raffle: \$190.00**

### Praying the Rosary

Familiarize yourself and/or your group with the [prayers of the rosary](#).

Make the Sign of the Cross.

Holding the Crucifix, say the *Apostles’ Creed*.

On the first bead, say an *Our Father*.

Say one *Hail Mary* on each of the next three beads.

Say the *Glory Be*

For each of the five decades, announce the Mystery (perhaps followed by a brief reading from Scripture) then say the *Our Father*.

While fingering each of the ten beads of the decade, next say ten *Hail Marys* while meditating on the Mystery. Then say a *Glory Be*.

(After finishing each decade, some say the following prayer requested by the Blessed Virgin Mary at Fatima: *O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of hell; lead all souls to Heaven, especially those who have most need of your mercy.*)

After saying the five decades, say the *Hail, Holy Queen*, followed by this dialogue and prayer:



V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God.

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: O

God, whose Only Begotten Son, by his life, Death, and Resurrection, has purchased for us the rewards of eternal life, grant, we beseech thee, that while meditating on these mysteries of the most holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin Mary, we may imitate what they contain and obtain what they promise, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

(A [prayer to St. Joseph](#) may also follow.) Conclude the Rosary with the Sign of the Cross. ©USCCB

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Tuesday, October 15**  
 9:45am—50/50 Raffle Drawing

**Wednesday, October 16**  
 10am-12noon & 6-7pm  
 Food Pantry pickup in Gathering Room

**Thursday, October 17**  
 6:30pm—Family Rosary  
 7:00pm—Choir Practice

**Saturday, October 19**  
 8:00am Mass &  
 Men’s Ministry & Breakfast in  
 Gathering Room

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

Christian liturgy has always contained an opportunity to make a choice for sharing. From the beginning, Christians pooled their resources, especially for the care of widows and orphans, at the weekly Eucharist. Over the years, the collection became detached from the liturgy and baskets or plates would be passed through the community while the Mass was going on at the altar, or contributions would be collected at the doors. In Milan’s Ambrosian Rite, these gifts have always been brought to the altar by lay people in procession. In German countries, the ancient custom was for the entire assembly to process with their gifts—first the men, then the women, then the priests and deacons—to offer their gifts at the altar. The old ceremony of canonization included a curious vestige of this procession: people would present the pope with two loaves of bread, two barrels of wine and water, five candles, and three cages containing pigeons or turtledoves!

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**Weekly 50/50 Raffle**

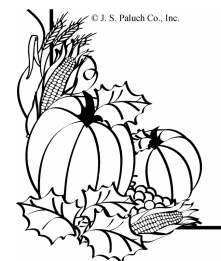
**The Number Drawn on October 1st  
 Was # 291  
 The Winner Would Have Won \$320.00  
 (This amount will be added to next week)**

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.



**Ministry Schedule  
October 19th & 20th**

**Extraordinary Ministers**

- 4:30pm—Bonnie Gruver, Judy Nowacki,  
Volunteer Needed
- 8:00am—Carol Jablonski, Patti Pawl,  
Tim Pawl
- 10:00am—Dennis Bork, John Hearne,  
Tamara Fredrickson
- 6:00pm—Mark Gabrione, Isabella Skurka,  
Volunteer Needed

**Lectors**

- 4:30pm—Sue Blue
- 8:00am—Ralph Semyck
- 10:00am—Yvonne Weaver
- 6:00pm—Sharon Ruane

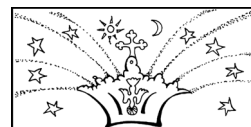
**NOTHING BUT GOD**

I need nothing but God, and to lose myself in the heart of God.  
—St. Margaret Mary Alacoque

**BIBLE STUDY**

Let sleep find you holding your Bible, and when your head nods let it be resting on a sacred page.

—St. Jerome



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If we have died with [Christ Jesus] we shall also live with him; if we persevere we shall also reign with him.

— 2 Timothy 2:11-12a

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