

St. Joseph Church

November 15, 2020

**Thirty-Third Sunday
in Ordinary Time**

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

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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

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

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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.*

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Monday, November 16, Weekday

9:00 AM Terri Kubalanza

Tuesday, November 17, St. Elizabeth of Hungary

9:00 AM Apostolos Raptis

Wednesday, November 18, Weekday

No 9:00 AM Mass

Thursday, November 19, Weekday

9:00 AM Mildred Craven Turner

Friday, November 20, Weekday

9:00 AM Sharon Chadwick

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, November 21, Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

4:30 PM Ernest Staroscak

Sunday, November 22, Our Lord Jesus Christ King of the Universe

8:00 AM Thomas G. Adams

10:00 AM Carol Blue

6:00 PM The People of the Parish

Celebrant: Fr. Ron Zgunda

Sunday Readings Reflections

11/22/2020

First Reading — I will rescue my scattered sheep (Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17).

Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — As in Adam all die, so too in Christ all shall be brought to life (1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28).

Gospel — Whatever you did to the least ones, you did to me (Matthew 25:31-46).

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Andrean High School

Zoom Niner Night

Andrean High School invites families to our **Zoom Niner Night on Wednesday, November 18th at 7:00pm.** Families will have the oppor- tunity to talk with Andrean students, parents, and faculty. We look forward to meeting you. *Families must complete pre-registration for the event at andreanhs.org/rsvp/. Once you've signed up online, our team will send you the di- rect meeting link before the event date.*

Schedule Your Shadow Day Now!

Contact Andrean's Director of Enrollment Man- agement, Mr. Jim Nohos, at 219-887-5959 ext. 260 to schedule your visit today!

Apply Today!

Andrean High School invites families to apply for enrollment for the 2021-2022 school year. The application can be completed online at andre- anhs.org/apply.

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Talents Given, Talents Returned. One more Kingdom of Heaven parable today. God gives in the great hope that these treasures, these talents, these baptismal charisms will bear fruit. God's gifts are not for burying or hiding in safety. They are to be risked, to be used for the benefit of both self and others. When that hap- pens, God says: "Well done. Come share my joy."

- What gifts of God must I unbury and put to use?
- How will I serve God this week by serving another?
- What action will I do that prompts God to say: "Well done"?

Catholic Services Appeal

As of 11/5/20, we have \$95,355.00 in pledges and donations. There still is time to take part in donat- ing to this years Appeal. If you need a pledge/ donation card, please call the parish office, 219-865 -2271.

Many thanks to the following families for their do- nations: Mark & Marguerite Sandrick and David & Melinda DeSchepper.

CHANGE OUR LIVES

The letters of Paul to the Thessalonians are among his earliest writings, and are driven by his belief and the belief of the entire early Christian community that the return of Christ was imminent, and that devoting time or attention to anything else was foolish.

As time progressed, this fervor subsided a bit. Today we may wonder, when we hear these readings about the coming end-times, if we should take them to heart, if we really believe that Christ still may come upon us as a “thief at night” (1 Thessalonians 5:2). Does this mean that we are to stop our long-range goal-setting, get rid of our yearly calendars and planners, or stop putting money in the college education fund? Of course not. What it does mean is that we need to change our lives, living like children of the light and illuminating the world around us with the light of the gospel. Then, on that day, when the details of our daily living become unimportant, we will be ready to find our peace and security in Christ Jesus.

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Stewardship of Treasure Report

November 7th & 8th

Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00

Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount

Collected: \$5026.00

Charity: \$30.00

Religious Education: \$130.00

First Friday: \$286.00

Food Pantry: \$515.00

All Saints: \$140.00

Campaign for Human Development: \$45.00

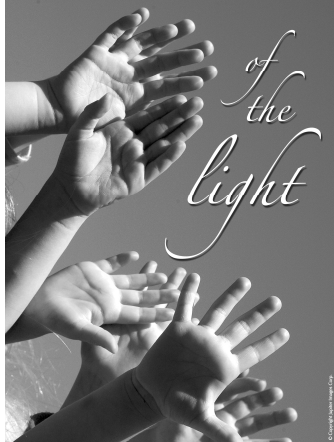
Christmas: \$10.00

50/50 Raffle: \$75.00

WorldWide Marriage Encounter

The Chicagoland area WorldWide Marriage Encounter (WWME) is pleased to announce that we will be providing another Virtual Experience in February 2021. For more information, call 630-577-0778 or go to www.wwme-Chicagoland.org

You are children



Jesus, I Trust In You

**Our Lady of Lourdes,
Pray for Us.**

Prayer For Renewed Strength

O Lord, my God,
Please give me the grace to maintain my hope in you through all of life's changes and to taste and see your goodness.

I praise you for the gifts you have showered on me for so many years. Help me find joy in a renewed strength of spirit.

Please bless me with good health, and inspire me to be a good example to others.

For you are Lord, forever and ever.

Amen.

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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**Tuesday, November 17**

9:45am—50/50 Raffle Drawing

Wednesday, November 18

10am-12Noon & 6-7pm Food Pantry

Pickup in parking lot

Thursday, November 19

6:30pm—Family Rosary



SAINT ROSE PHILIPPINE DUCHESNE
(1769-1852)
November 18

Pope Benedict once declared himself struck by how remarkably diverse our American saints are—some native born: Mother Seton, Katherine Drexel, Kateri Tekakwitha; most, like many Catholics today, immigrants: Padre Serra, Bishop Neumann, Mother Cabrini, Rose Philippine Duchesne. When the French Revolution that dispersed her convent ended, Rose joined the Religious of the Sacred Heart, volunteering for their United States mission, opening the first free school west of the Mississippi. Only after lengthy service as Superior did Rose—now seventy-one—realize her life's dream, undertaking a mission among the Potawatomi Indians. When some worried about her advanced age and failing health, the Jesuit mission leader overruled them: "She must come! She may not be able to do much work, but she'll bring the mission success by praying for us!" Frustrated by her inability to learn their languages, Rose nevertheless "spoke" to the Native Americans by her prayerful presence before the tabernacle. "Quah-kah-ka-num-ad," they named her, "Woman-Who-Prays-Always"—their way of bestowing the title the Church would later make official: saint!

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Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on
November 3rd was #376

The Winner Would Have Won \$902.50

(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



Ministry Schedule November 21st & 22nd

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

Lectors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

LIVING PRAYER

Who prays as they ought will endeavor to live as they pray.

—Anonymous



Ministry Schedule November 21st & 22nd

Cantors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—



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—Psalm 128:1a

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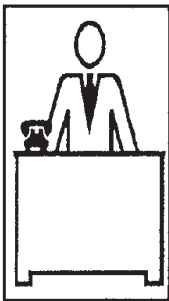


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