

# **St. Joseph Church**

**July 3, 2016**

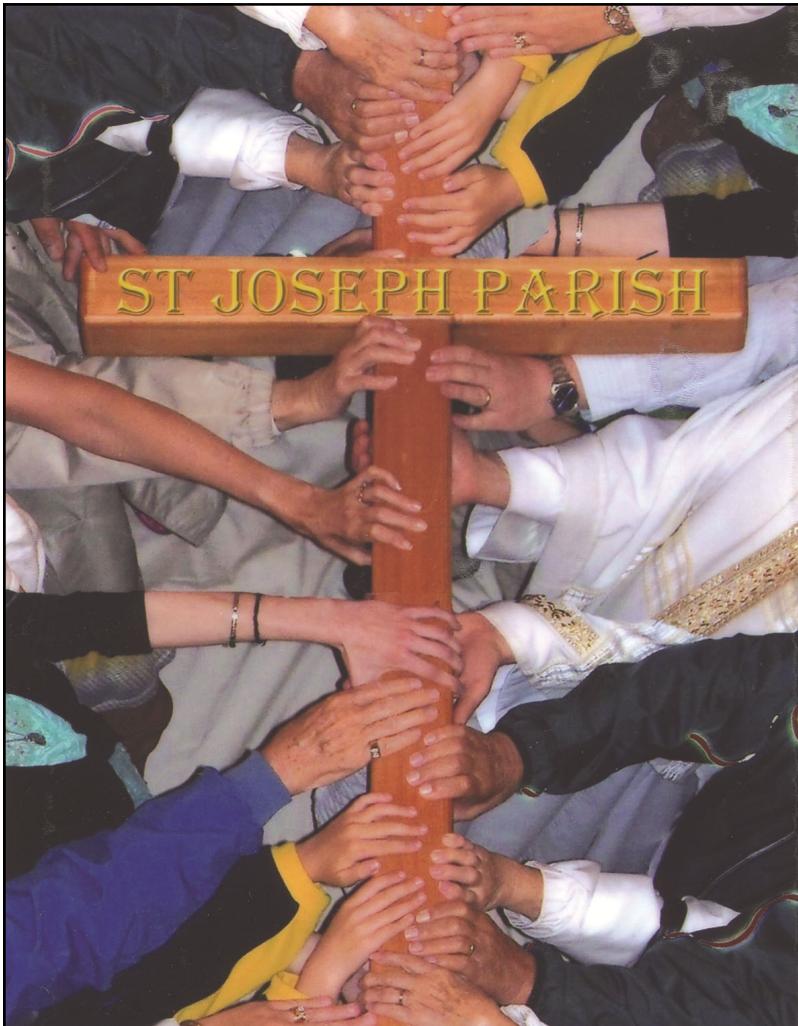
**Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time**

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**Rev. Ted J. Mauch, Administrator**



**GATHERING IN FAITH,  
DISCOVERING COMMUNITY**

## **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 with Father Ted in person. Please call the parish office, 865-2271 for an appointment.

## **Parish Telephones**

**Parish Office .....865-2271**

Parish Fax .....865-2350

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

**ADMINISTRATOR:** Rev. Ted J. Mauch

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**DIRECTOR:** Yvonne Weaver

## **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 Sick**

Call the office any time.

## **Knights of Columbus**

**Grand Knight:** Ed Hebda 219-865-6922

## **Bulletin Deadline**

**Monday 12:00 Noon, in writing.**

**Monday, July 4, Weekday**

9:00 AM Rosemary Bohney

**Tuesday, July 5, Weekday**

9:00 AM Bridget Battersby

**Wednesday, July 6, Weekday**

No 9:00 AM Mass

**Thursday, July 7, Weekday**

9:00 AM The Deceased Members of the

Frances Vasquez Family

6:30 PM Family Rosary

**Friday, July 8, Weekday**

9:00 AM Joseph R. Pacholski

**Weekend Mass Intentions****Saturday, July 9, Vigil: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

4:30 PM Sharon Kramer

**Sunday, July 10, 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

10:00 AM Jonathan Mantel

6:00 PM Kevin Andrew Garza

**Let Us Welcome!**

Please welcome Father Ted Mauch to St. Joseph Parish. Father Ted was the Associate Pastor at St. Thomas More in Munster.

Let us pray that the Holy Spirit will guide Father Ted in his ministry to enrich our faith and help guide us to realize our gifts and talents to share with our parish.

**Please Note!**

The parish office will be closed on Monday, July 4th.

**Helping Hands Food Pantry**

There will be a second collection next weekend, July 9th & 10th for our Food Pantry. You are also invited to bring groceries to help restock our shelves.

**Sunday Readings Reflections****7/10/2016****Reading 1 Deuteronomy 30:10-14**

This reading shows a wonderful understanding of human nature. The author knows how easy it is to say, "I would do God's will if only I knew what it was!" We hear Moses telling the people, "Don't look up in the sky or out to sea for God's will. Look in your own heart." The people are about to enter the Promised Land. They will enjoy all the good things God has in store for them if only they listen to the word of God and follow God's law.

**Reading 2 Colossians 1:15-20**

This reading is part of a great hymn of praise to Jesus Christ as the Lord of all creation. He is the One who keeps everything in existence. He is the head of the Church, which continues his ministry on earth. Through his sacrifice on the cross, Jesus unites everyone with God. He is the source of our peace.

**Gospel Luke 10:25-37**

Jesus was a great storyteller. We can imagine how fascinating his voice and manner must have been when he told the parable of the Good Samaritan to the lawyer who wanted to be saved. And how surprised the lawyer must have been when he heard the answer to the question "Who is my neighbor?" My neighbor is not just the person next door or a member of my parish or my racial group. My neighbor is anyone in need?even if he or she seems to be an enemy. Jesus' parable reveals the true meaning of love of neighbor. It is going out of our way to do everything for someone that we would want done for us.

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## SYNOD 2017

"Mistrust and skepticism has led our culture to disregard the marriage covenant between a man and a woman, that covenant which deepens communion and safeguards the dignity of their uniqueness. When the stable and fruitful covenant between a man and a woman is devalued by society, it is a loss for everyone, especially the young."

—Pope Francis at his general audience at the Vatican, April 22, 2015.

For Bishop Donald J. Hying's video on marriage and the family, go to [dgcgary.org/synod.htm](http://dgcgary.org/synod.htm).

## PEACE

The greeting of peace at Mass adds substance to a message of today's readings: peace is relational. When we greet in peace the person near us at Mass, we share the touch of a handshake or embrace, sincere eye contact, and friendly words. The scriptures speak of a similar peace. The first reading from Isaiah describes the peace of the holy city, Jerusalem, a place of prosperity and comfort where the "LORD's power shall be known to his servants" (Isaiah 66:14c).

The Christian understanding of peace changes slightly. Paul writes of the "peace and mercy" on all who are created anew. Jesus describes a feeling of peace that will rest on those who accept his disciples and their message.

Peace is both an absence of strife and a personal blessing. May we always and sincerely bring peace to our own lives as we share it with others.  
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## Stewardship of Treasure Report

June 25th & 26th

**Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$5825.00**

**Weekly Sunday Treasure Envelope Amount Collected: \$4809.51**

**Charity: \$195.00**

**Religious Education: \$0**

**Weekly Treasure Support Deficit: (\$820.49)**

**Fiscal Year Operating Budget Amount**

**Needed: \$297,140.00**

**Diocesan Charities: \$5.00**

**Fiscal Year Deficit: (\$7696.75)**

**Food Pantry: \$0**

**50/50 Raffle: \$250.00**

## Deanery Meeting on Synod, CSA & Parish Clustering

Everyone is welcome to attend informational sessions in the deaneries to explain the Synod, Catholic Services Appeal, and Parish Clustering. The purpose is to clarify the meaning and importance of these three areas. It would also be a forum which would allow those in attendance to ask questions and to voice concerns.

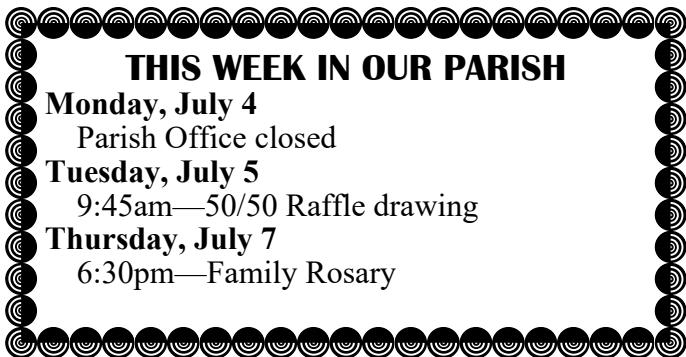
Our deanery, the **Southlake Deanery**, will meet on **Tuesday, July 12th** at Our Lady of Consolation in Merrillville from 7 to 8:30pm

Everyone is welcome to attend.

## The Franciscan Hermitage

The Franciscan Friars of Lourdes Friary located in Cedar Lake, Indiana, are pleased to announce the opening of their hermitage to the public as a place of prayer and reflection. The facility is a self-contained unit with everything to make the visit comfortable for one person. It also has a screened-in porch for outdoor reflection and prayer. Open all year round, a guest can stay for one night up to several weeks.

Cost for the use of the hermitage depends on the generosity of a free will offering. For more information or reservations please contact Sharon Marmalejo, OFS or e-mail [geesopete@att.net](mailto:geesopete@att.net).



## THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

**Monday, July 4**

Parish Office closed

**Tuesday, July 5**

9:45am—50/50 Raffle drawing

**Thursday, July 7**

6:30pm—Family Rosary

## TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Some say tomato--and some say tomahto--you know the old song. What do you say when you arrive at church and see a font prepared, a baby in the wings, the paschal candle burning? Well, maybe you will say that "we're having a baptism today," or maybe you say "we are having a christening." The proper term is baptism, since that is the name of the sacrament. But the persistent use of "christening" in our culture, probably from due to the influence of the Episcopal Church, is interesting.

Baptism, an ancient word, is from the Greek meaning to dip or to dunk. Christening is an Old English word that describes perfectly well that more than getting splashed with water, the person being baptized is being "Christ-ed." No matter what you call it, there's always water involved, and then an anointing with chrism--fragrant olive oil consecrated as a sign of Christ's presence--poured upon the brow as we say, "As Christ was anointed Priest, Prophet, and King, so may you live always as a member of his body, sharing everlasting life."

So, in being Christ-ed, you are conformed to his image, your life is expected to be a retelling of his life in miniature and you--even though you may be squirming or sleeping--are commissioned to be a priest, a prophet, a king. This means that you are called to be one who worships, you are called to speak the truth, you are called to shape the world and exercise right judgment. That is the deepest treasure of our tradition, and every time you gather to celebrate a baptism, you renew your vows precisely so that you can be more "Christ-ed." No matter what vocabulary you assign to the liturgy, the key is transformation of the human person in the community of the Body of Christ.

--Rev. James Field, Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.

## Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on June 21st

Was # 72

The Winner Would Have Won \$2365.00

(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.

## Hearts In Motion Resale Shoppe

Hearts In Motion's Resale Shoppe, located on US Highway 41 in Schererville, is in need of **donations of furniture, housewares, clothing, appliances, etc.** We have a Box Truck and are available to pick up larger donations.

For more information or to schedule a pick-up, please call 219-515-2804 and ask for Holly, Jamie, or Jeanne. We are located at 2210 US Highway 41 in the Koremen Complex.

**Ministry Schedule**July 9th & 10th**Extraordinary Ministers**

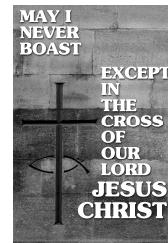
4:30pm—Paul Jarzembowski, Patty  
Jarzembowski, Isabella Skurka  
8:00am—Kathy Cusick, Carol Jablonski,  
Pauline Rybicki  
10:00am—Dennis Bork, Tina Bork,  
Mike Klausman  
6:00pm—Pat Bergstrom, Bonnie Gruver,  
Ernie Leicht

**Lectors**

4:30pm—Sandy O'Drobinak  
8:00am—Karen Ziolkowski  
10:00am—Mike Klausman  
6:00pm—Yvonne Weaver

**Ministry Schedule**July 9th & 10th**Altar Servers**

4:30pm— Mary Howe, Joe Nowacki  
8:00am— Joe Stankovich  
10:00am— Jack & Orla Fingar, Jim Morris  
6:00pm— Ian Gruver

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May I never boast except in the cross  
of our Lord Jesus Christ.

-- Galatians 6:14

**FREEDOM**

Those who deny freedom to others deserve it not  
for themselves.

-- Abraham Lincoln

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