

St. Joseph Church

October 16, 2016

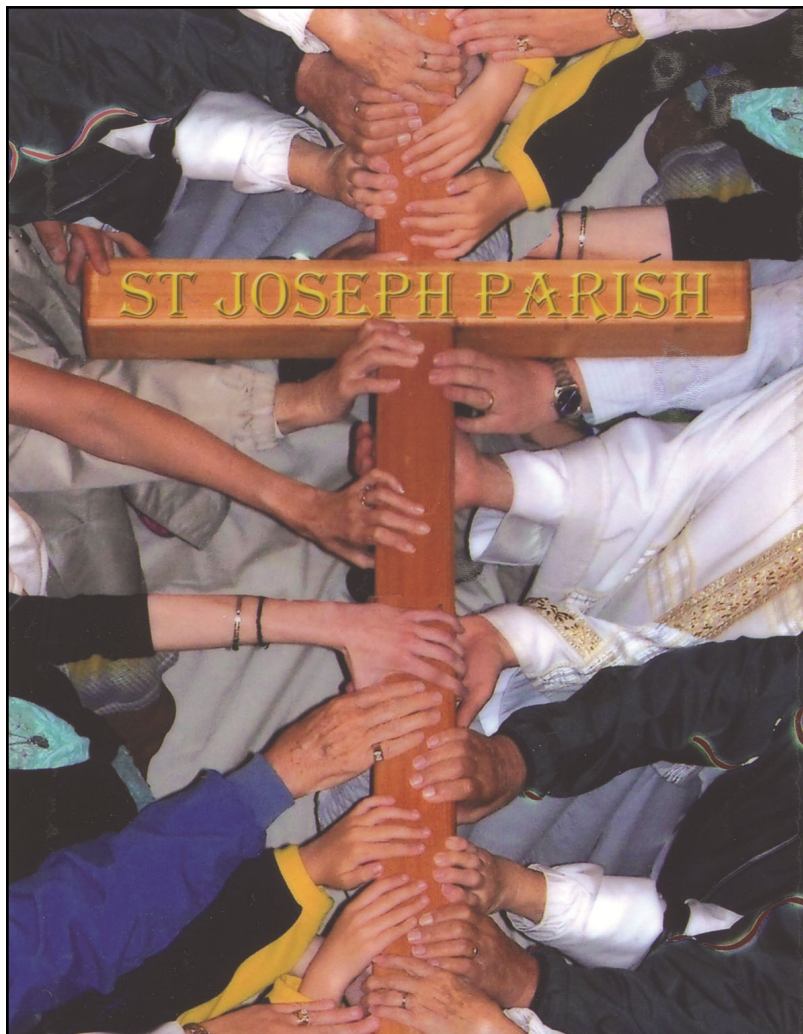
Twenty-Ninth Sunday In
Ordinary Time

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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.

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

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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: Steve Costa 210-365-4204

Bulletin Deadline

Monday 12:00 Noon, in writing.



Monday, October 17, St. Ignatius of Antioch

No 9:00 AM Mass

Tuesday, October 18, St. Luke

No 9:00 AM Mass

Wednesday, October 19, Sts. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues

No 9:00 AM Mass

Thursday, October 20, Weekday

No 9:00 AM Mass

6:30 PM Family Rosary

Friday, October 21, Weekday

No 9:00 AM Mass

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 22, Vigil: 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

4:30 PM Bernard Paulson

Celebrant: Carmelites

Sunday, October 23, 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 AM The People of the Parish

Celebrant: Salvatorian Fathers

10:00 AM Paul Graegin

Celebrant: Salvatorian Fathers

6:00 PM Kevin Andrew Garza

Celebrant: Carmelites

Please Note!

There will not be 9:00am Masses this week, Monday, October 17th thru Friday, October 21st. Father Ted is on a Diocesan Convocation.

Also Please Note!

During the week of Monday, October 17th thru Friday, October 21st, the parish office will close by 12 noon each day. During the afternoons, please leave a phone message and they will be answered by the next day unless it is an emergency. The messages will be monitored throughout the afternoon and evening.

God Within

God dwells in a secret and hidden way in all souls, in their very substance, for if God did not, they could not exist at all. —St. John of the Cross

**Sunday Readings Reflections
10/23/2016**

First Reading -- The LORD is a God of justice who hears the cry of the oppressed, the orphan, the widow, the lowly (Sirach 35:12-14, 16-18).

Psalm -- The Lord hears the cry of the poor (Psalm 34).

Second Reading -- The crown of righteousness awaits me (2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18).

Gospel -- The tax collector stood at a distance, beat his breast, and prayed, "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner" (Luke 18:9-14).

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**Mass of Hope and Healing
With Bishop Donald Hying**

Sunday, October 23, 2016

4:00pm

St. Mary Church

525 N. Broad Street

Griffith, IN

Whether the death of a child happened recently or many years ago, The Mass of Hope and Healing is for all parents whose child died because of: Miscarriage, Ectopic Pregnancy, Stillbirth, Sudden Infant Death Syndrome, Infant or Childhood Death. Registration is preferred. Please call 219-730-9199 or 219-838-5755.

**Understanding Social Justice
In Light of Catholic Social Teaching**

Why is it the "Best Kept Secret" of our Church? What are the Seven Main Themes of Social Justice?

Presenter: Sr. Sallie Latkocich, CSJ

Tuesday, October 25th at 7:00 pm in St. Patrick Hall at St. Michael Church in Schererville.

Sister Salle, is a member of the Sisters of St. Joseph, CSJ from LaGrange, IL. She is a lifelong religious educator and pastoral minister, with a broad and deep academic training and experience at all levels. A Free Will Offering will be taken to help defray the costs of this much needed information.



SYNOD 2017

There's a way everyone can be productive and involved in our diocesan Synod 2017. Please pray for the remaining parishes that are still holding their discussion sessions. Ask the Holy Spirit to be with us as we take the fruit of our discussions forward to the deanery sessions, to be held in early 2017. For continuing information on the synod, go to dcgary.org/synod.

Photos from Synod 2017



Stewardship of Treasure Report

October 8th & 9th

Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$5541.00

**Weekly Sunday Amount Collected:
\$5745.85**

Religious Education: \$198.00

All Saints: \$5.00

Website Maintenance: \$10.00

Food Pantry: \$1991.06

50/50 Raffle: \$230.00

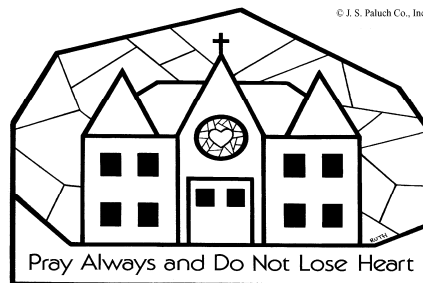
DEPENDING ON GOD

"Getting by with a little help from our friends" is not an idea that began with the Beatles. Certainly the idea of "getting by with a little help from God" goes back at least to the first reading today from Exodus. How we get that help, however, is the key to this weekend's scriptures.

No matter how inadequate Moses felt to the task God had given him, he persevered--even though he needed help from the people around him. The Israelites especially depended on God for freedom. The woman in the Gospel, desperate and destitute, had no one to depend on, but still she would not give up. She could not afford to bribe the unscrupulous judge, but she pestered him into weariness until finally he met her demands.

We sometimes need to turn to others to help us through difficult times; but if we always turn to God, we won't be disappointed, for our help, the psalm assures us, is from the Lord.

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THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Monday, October 17

No 9:00am Mass

Parish Office closed by 12noon

Tuesday, October 18

No 9:00am Mass

9:45am—50/50 Raffle drawing

Parish Office closed by 12noon

4:30-5:45pm—RE classes in school

Wednesday, October 19

No 9:00am Mass

Parish Office closed by 12noon

10:00am—12 noon—Food Pantry pickup

6:00-7:00pm—Food Pantry pickup

Thursday, October 20

No 9:00am Mass

Parish Office closed by 12noon

6:30pm—Family Rosary

Friday, October 21

No 9:00am Mass

Parish Office closed by 12noon

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

From the early medieval period, it was expected that the many bishops of Italy travel to Rome at least once every three years to give a report of their ministry, with a footnote granting the bishops of Sicily a visit every five years. By the eleventh century, the idea of bishops visiting the tombs of the apostles was a very strict requirement for all within reasonable reach of Rome. The age of discovery and the expansion of the Church into remote corners of the earth made this an unreasonable burden in many cases, yet every bishop was required at least to send a representative to Rome every five years. In 1911, Pope St. Pius X established the rule for a "quinquennial" (meaning "once in five years") report, called an ad limina. This literally means "to the threshold," and refers to the expectation that the visiting bishop will go to the thresholds of the tombs of the apostles Peter and Paul and to a personal audience with the Holy Father. An exemption was given to so-called "mission territories," which in 1911 included the United States. The reports were still required, but could be filed by letter with an office of the missions called "Propagation of the Faith." This status was changed in 1917 and since that time all American bishops have been subject to the ad limina. These reports, carefully kept in the Vatican archives, are a treasure trove for historians, providing snapshots of culture and faith and a record of the Church's resilience even in times of persecution and change.

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

Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on October 4th

Was # 52

The Winner Would Have Won \$692.50

(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, HOME-BOUND 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.

Halloween Spooktacular

Friday, October 21st—St. John Bosco Cafeteria, 171st Street off of Columbia Ave., Hammond.

Door "G" - from 6:00pm to 9:00pm (1 night only).

Free Admission. Enjoy Fun, Food & Fun Activities (nominal fees). Don't miss our famous Cake Walk. Family-friendly costumes welcomed.

Visit our Haunted Hall if you Dare! 7111 Columbia Ave., Hammond (Parish Hall) - Friday & Saturday, October 21st & 22nd & October 28th & 29th. Adults \$7.00, High School (9th-12th grade) \$6.00

Ministry Schedule
October 22nd & 23rd

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—Bonnie Gruver, Lee Kobza,
Joe Nowacki
8:00am—Judy Kline, Steve Kline,
Pauline Rybicki
10:00am—Gary Blue, Sue Blue,
Barb Graegin
6:00pm—Allan Burgos, Ernie Leicht,
Irene Magana

Lectors

4:30pm—Mary Flanagan
8:00am—Marianne Trembacki
10:00am—Sandy Riley
6:00pm—Kurt Vanderah

NO PEW POTATOES

Catholicism is not a spectator sport.
--Anonymous

Ministry Schedule
October 22nd & 23rd

Altar Servers

4:30pm—Ian Gruver, Joe Nowacki
8:00am—Christopher Kline
10:00am—Jack & Orla Fingar, Dominic Rizzo
6:00pm—Mary Howe, Lillian Smith



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I lift up my eyes toward the mountains;
whence shall help come to me?
My help is from the LORD,
who made heaven and earth.
-- Psalm 121:1-2

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