

# St. Joseph Church

November 13, 2016

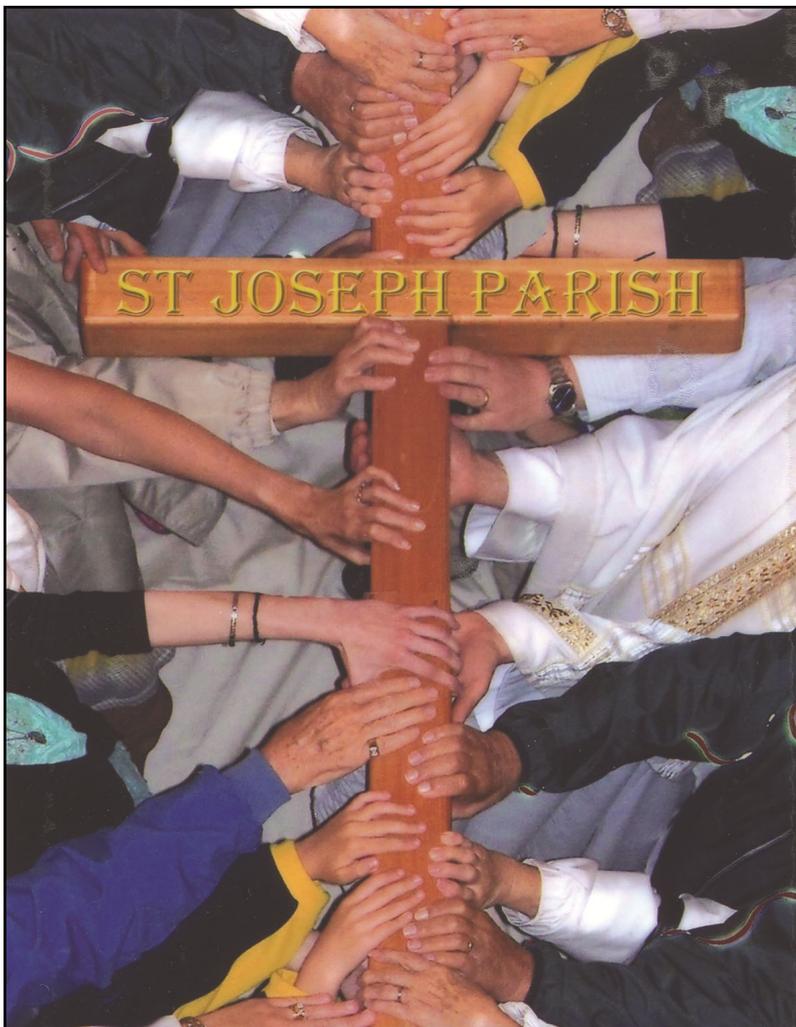
Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

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

Rev. Ted J. Mauch, 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

Email.....[office@stjosephdyer.org](mailto:office@stjosephdyer.org)

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:** Steve Costa 210-365-4204

## Bulletin Deadline

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



**Monday, November 14, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Jane Nowacki

**Tuesday, November 15, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Blessings for Albino & Joyce Aragno

**Wednesday, November 16, Weekday**  
 No 9:00 AM Mass

**Thursday, November 17, St. Elizabeth of Hungary**  
 9:00 AM Poor Souls  
 6:30 PM Family Rosary

**Friday, November 18, Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Deceased Members of Lillian Smith Family

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, November 19, Vigil: Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
 4:30 PM Lester Komarowski

**Sunday, November 20, Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe**  
 8:00 AM The People of the Parish  
 10:00 AM Joseph & Myrtle Bober  
 6:00 PM Kevin Andrew Garza

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Monday:** Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43

**Tuesday:** Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10

**Wednesday:** Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28

**Thursday:** Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44

**Friday:** Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33

**Saturday:** Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;  
**Lk 20:27-40**

**Sunday:** 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20; Lk 23:35-43

**Please Note!**

There will be a second collection next weekend, November 19th & 20th for Campaign for Human Development.

**Sunday Readings Reflections  
11/20/2016**

**First Reading** -- David is anointed king of Israel (2 Samuel 5:1-3).  
**Psalm** -- Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord (Psalm 122).  
**Second Reading** -- The Father delivered us to the kingdom of his beloved Son (Colossians 1:12-20).  
**Gospel** -- The repentant criminal receives Jesus' promise of Paradise (Luke 23:35-43).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from Lectionary for Mass (c) 1969, 1981,

**150th Parish Anniversary Book**

The History Book for our 150th Parish Anniversary is under construction. We would like to give you the opportunity to purchase a Memorial Ad to be included in the book.

There is a 3 part sheet at all the entrances of the church for you to take to decide which size you would like and the information to be printed. We need this information back to the parish by December 21st.

If you are paying by check, please make payable to: St. Joseph Church. Please note in the memo line: Memorial Ad for History Book.

You may put this in an envelope and put in the collection basket, mail it to the parish office (440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311) or bring it to the office.

**Catholic Services Appeal**

Although the Catholic Services Appeal campaign officially ends January 31, 2017, only payments received by December 31, 2016 can be claimed as tax deductions for 2016.

**New this year: Tax receipts for donation** can be requested at [www.dcgary.org/csa.htm](http://www.dcgary.org/csa.htm).



**SYNOD 2017**

Bishop Donald Hying is pleased to announce 100 percent of the parishes in our diocese hosted sessions to discuss the eight ecclesial areas of focus for the synod.

One of the positives to come out of the discussion at St. Maria Goretti in Dyer is that life can be like a roller coaster with so many ups and downs, but the church is a stabilizing force. It feels like home.

St. Joseph Parish also had positive feedback from all the eight ecclesial areas of focus.

For continuing information, go to [dcgary.org/synod](http://dcgary.org/synod).

**Stewardship of Treasure Report**

November 5th & 6th

**Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00**

**Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount**

**Collected: \$6413.74**

**All Saints: \$1372.10**

**Website Maintenance: \$223.00**

**Food Pantry: \$100.00**

**50/50 Raffle: \$235.00**

**How do I pray?**

Various forms of prayer are presented in the Catechism of the Catholic Church (CCC 2623-2649). These various forms include prayer of blessing or adoration, prayer of petition, prayer of intercession, prayer of thanksgiving, and prayer of praise.

**What is Meditation?**

Meditation is a Christian practice of prayer dating back to the early Church. As the Catechism states: "Meditation is above all a quest. The mind seeks to understand the why and how of the Christian life, in order to adhere and respond to what the Lord is asking." By meditating on the Gospels, holy icons, liturgical texts, spiritual writings, or "the great book of creation, "we come to make our own that which is God's." To the extent that we are humble and faithful, we discover in meditation the movements that stir the heart and we are able to discern them. It is a question of acting truthfully in order to come into the light: "Lord, what do you want me to do?" (CCC 2705-2706).

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**THE WAY**

Teens in Grades 8-12 are invited to attend THE WAY, a Diocesan youth ministry day, held Saturday, November 19 at St. Michael in Schererville. Includes: Bishop Hying, Catholic comedian Bob Perron, praise music, discussions, Adoration, Mass, food, and a dance and social. It's a great way to begin our journey toward the National Catholic Youth Conference in 2017! Cost: \$15.. Registration deadline: Nov. 13. For complete details, visit [ncyc2017.com](http://ncyc2017.com), or contact Kevin Driscoll at the Diocese of Gary Office for Youth & Young Adults: 219-769-9292 x229.

**THE SUN  
OF  
JUSTICE  
WILL  
RISE**



**Worldwide Marriage Encounter**

"By your perseverance you will secure your lives." Let us persevere in the love of God as manifested by our marriages. Attend a WorldWide Marriage Encounter weekend on December 9-11, 2016, February 17-19, 2017, or April 7-9, 2017, all at Elk Grove Village, IL. Early registration is highly recommended. Call 630-577-0778.

### THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

#### Tuesday, November 15

9:45am—50/50 Raffle drawing

5:30-7:30pm—GOF (Religious Education) in Gym

#### Wednesday, November 16

10:00am—12 noon—Food Pantry pickup

6:00-7:00pm—Food Pantry pickup

#### Thursday, November 17

6:30pm—Family Rosary

### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

With Thanksgiving approaching, we think of the quest of the Puritans who arrived on the Mayflower from their first exile in Leyden, Holland. Like the Catholics of England, they were religious dissenters who suffered penalties for not participating in the worship life of the established church. The Catholics established monasteries, schools, and convents on the continent to assure the vigor of their faith's intellectual and spiritual life. The Puritans fled to the tolerant Netherlands with similar hopes of preserving their way of life, but were unable to adapt to Dutch ways.

There were Catholics who made a similar colonial journey. The hero of the story is George Calvert, Lord Baltimore, the former Secretary of State of Britain and a Catholic. He proposed that King Charles I establish a proprietary colony that he would own and rule, named Maryland in honor of the Catholic Queen Henrietta Maria. George Calvert died unexpectedly in the midst of this project, but his son Cecil faithfully carried out his father's wishes. Maryland became a symbol of freedom for wealthy recusant English families, as well as for the poor who held to the Catholic faith despite great hardship. From the start, the colony was open to Protestants and Catholics equally, and the seeds of the religious freedom so dear to the American spirit were sown with the first colonists in 1634.

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### Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on November 1st  
Was # 140

The Winner Would Have Won \$1155.00  
(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.

**The Knights of Columbus, St. Pope John Paul II—Council 16008 from St. James the Less in Highland** will be hosting a Thanksgiving Breakfast on Sunday, November 20th, 2016 from 7:30am to 1pm in the parish hall. This event is a free will donation and the proceeds will be going to our Pro Life Fund. Please contact Dan Mills at 219-801-5250 or Robert Mikuly at 219-776-8773 for questions. We will also be selling tickets for our St. Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance coming up in February.

**Ministry Schedule  
November 19th & 20th**

**Extraordinary Ministers**

4:30pm—Lee Kobza, Joe Nowacki,  
Judy Nowacki  
8:00am—Carol Jablonski, Patti Pawl,  
Tim Pawl  
10:00am—Dennis Bork, John Hearne,  
Tamara Fredrickson  
6:00pm—Irene Magana, Isabella Skurka,  
Frances Vasquez

**Lectors**

4:30pm—Gary Blue  
8:00am—Rita D’Arcy  
10:00am—Diana Giovane  
6:00pm—Michael Gallenberger

**SELF-PORTRAIT**

Every job is a self-portrait of the person who did it.  
Autograph your work with quality.  
--Anonymous

**Ministry Schedule  
November 19th & 20th**

**Altar Servers**

4:30pm— Joe Nowacki  
8:00am— Joe Stankovich  
10:00am— Mary Shutoski, Russell Wells  
6:00pm— Mary Howe, Dominic Rizzo



**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

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Sing praise to the LORD with the harp,  
with the harp and melodious song.

-- Psalm 98:5

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