

# St. Joseph Church

March 8, 2020

Second Sunday of Lent

440 Joliet St., Dyer, IN 46311

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



## 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.*

PLEASE LIKE ST. JOSEPH PARISH ON FACEBOOK



**Monday, March 9, Lenten Weekday**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners

**Tuesday, March 10, Lenten Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Deceased Members of the Robert Rybicki Family

**Wednesday, March 11, Lenten Weekday**  
 No 9:00 AM Mass

**Thursday, March 12, Lenten Weekday**  
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners

**Friday, March 13, Lenten Weekday**  
 9:00 AM Deceased members of the Lee Klausman Family

**Weekend Mass Intentions**

**Saturday, March 14, Vigil: 3rd Sunday of Lent**  
 4:30 PM Joseph & Barbara Monyok

**Sunday, March 15, 3rd Sunday of Lent**  
 8:00 AM Deceased Members of the Stephen Pietras Family  
 10:00 AM Christopher & Elvira Galvan  
 6:00 PM The People of the Parish



**FISH FRY**

The Knights of Columbus Council 8082 will be having their Fish Fry here at St. Joseph Parish on **Friday, March 20th**

**from 4:30pm to 7:00pm.** The dinners will cost \$13.00/person and children 12 & under will be \$6.00.—Menu, 1/2 pound hand Battered Fish, Baked Potato, Sour Cream, Coleslaw, Roll & Butter, Dessert, & Beverage. Carry-outs available Kid;s chicken nuggets & mac & cheese.

Beer & wine will also be available. Come enjoy the delicious fish and the wonderful company of St. Joseph Parishioners & neighbors.

**Camp Lawrence**

Camp Lawrence in Valparaiso is looking for counselors and lifeguards to work for the 6 week summer camp season. Please contact the Catholic Youth Organization for more information. Phone: 219-736-8931 E-mail: [nwicyo@comcast.net](mailto:nwicyo@comcast.net).

**Sunday Readings Reflections**  
**3/15/2020**

**First Reading** — When the people grumbled to Moses for water in the desert, the Lord heard and brought forth water from the rock for all to drink (Exodus 17:3-7).

**Psalm** — If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts (Psalm 95).

**Second Reading** — God’s love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Romans 5:1-2, 5-8).

**Gospel** — Ask, and you will be given living water so that you will never thirst again (John 4:5-42 [5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42]).

The English translation of the Psalm Responses from *Lectio-nary for Mass* © 1969, 1981, 1997, International Commission on English in the Liturgy Corporation. All rights reserved.

**Lenten Soup Supper**

Wednesdays—March 4th thru April 1st  
 St. John Bosco Parish Hall—7111 Columbia Ave., Hammond—4:30pm to 6:30pm—COST: \$7.00

Enjoy AYCE homemade soup, salad, bread/ butter, crackers, dessert & drink

**March 11**—Chicken & Rice, Chicken Salsa, Ham & Pea, Lasagna, Potato

**March 18**—Green Pepper, Tomato & Cabbage, Cheesy Potato

**March 25**—Hamburger Cabbage, Ham & Bean, Chicken Fideo (noodle), Baked Potato

**April 1**—Chicken Lemon Rice, Italian Wedding, Hamburger Barley, April Fool’s Soup (it’s a surprise)

TAKE OUT (ticket needed) - \$6.00: ONE bowl of soup and ONE of each; bread/butter, salad, dessert & crackers (2 packs)

OR—\$3.00: ONE bowl of soup & crackers (2 packs)

Sponsored by St. John Bosco Youth Group. All are welcome.

A Lenten Mass is celebrated each Wednesday at 7pm in the Church.

**Northwest Indiana Catholic Men's Conference**

Men, is life too hectic? Could you use a day to regain perspective and balance? Experience a new spiritual experience with our Lord. A line-up of dynamic speakers will share insights into living out masculinity and heroic virtue, drawing from their own faith journeys. Mass, confession, great talks, and private time will give you the opportunity to reflect on what is going on in your life and the importance of a deep relationship with Jesus Christ.

The event will be on Saturday, March 28, 2020 beginning with 8:00am Mass at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Chesterton, IN. Cost is \$40 for adults; \$20 for college and high school students. To register visit the Conference web site at [www.nwicatholicmen.com](http://www.nwicatholicmen.com).

**Liturgy of the Hours in Lent**

Starting Thursday, February 27th, we will have Morning and Evening Prayer from the Liturgy of the Hours celebrated in the church daily.

**Morning Prayer—Monday—Friday at 6am**

**Evening Prayer—Monday—Friday at 6pm**

**Morning Prayer—Saturday & Sunday—9:15am**

**Evening Prayer—Saturday & Sunday—5:30pm**

The Liturgy of the Hours is the praying of the Psalms and Scriptures as prayed daily by all priests and men & women religious throughout the world.

This is an opportunity for those with busy schedules throughout the week to spend some time in prayer at church before or after work

**Stewardship of Treasure Report**  
 February 29th & March 1st

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

**Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount Collected:** \$5699.00

**Charity:** \$10.00

**Churches in Eastern Europe:** \$967.05

**Food Pantry:** \$135.00

**50/50 Raffle:** \$240.00

**Office for Youth & Young Adults**

High school teens are invited to attend *Teens Are Praying Together* ("TAPT"), a Diocesan Catholic weekend retreat, held March 27-29 at Camp Lawrence, north of Valparaiso. Through talks, guided discussions, prayer, recreation, Reconciliation, and Eucharist, TAPT is a call to discipleship, bringing teens into a more intimate encounter with the Incarnate Jesus Christ. Cost: \$90. Deadline: March 16. For details, visit [garyoyya.org/tapt](http://garyoyya.org/tapt), [facebook.com/garytapt](https://facebook.com/garytapt), or contact the Diocese of Gary Office for Youth & Young Adults: 219-769-9292 x229.

**You Are Invited!**

On Sunday, March 15th after the 8am & 10am Masses, St. Thomas More School, St. Michael School and St. John Evangelist School will have representatives in the Gathering Room to answer any questions you may have about their schools. Please stop by after mass to obtain any information you need.

Coffee and donuts will also be available.

**THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH**

**Monday, March 9**

6:00am—Morning Prayer in church  
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in church  
7:00pm— Pastoral Council Leadership  
Team Meeting—Gathering Room

**Tuesday, March 10**

6:00am—Morning Prayer in church  
9:45am—50/50 Raffle Drawing  
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in church

**Wednesday, March 11**

6:00am—Morning Prayer in church  
6:00pm—Morning Prayer in church

**Thursday, March 12**

6:00am—Morning Prayer in church  
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in church  
6:30pm—Family Rosary  
7:00pm—Choir practice

**Friday, March 13**

6:00am—Morning Prayer in church  
6:00pm—Evening Prayer in church  
7:00pm—Stations of the Cross at  
St. Joseph  
7:00pm—Troops of St. George in  
Gathering Room

**Saturday, March 14**

9:15am—Morning Prayer in church  
4:30pm—Mass  
5:30pm—Evening Prayer in church

**Sunday, March 15**

8:00am—Mass  
9:00am—St. Thomas More,  
St. Michael, St. John Evangelist  
Schools in Gathering Room  
9:15am—Morning Prayer in church  
10:00am—Mass  
11:00am—St. Thomas More,  
St. Michael, St. John Evangelist  
Schools in Gathering Room  
5:30pm—Evening Prayer in church  
6:00pm—Mass

**Weekly 50/50 Raffle**

**The Number Drawn on  
February 25th  
Was # 467**

**The Winner Would Have Won \$350.00**  
(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 Live Theater Production** presents “**The Passion of Christ**” on Sunday, March 22nd at the Carmelite Fathers Monastery, 1628 Ridge Road in Munster.

Don’t miss this beautiful, moving performance by a Polish prayer/theater troupe from Chicago! Presentations will be at 5pm (in Polish) and at 7:30pm (in English). A free-will offering will be accepted; for more information, visit [www.livetheaterproduction.com](http://www.livetheaterproduction.com) or call 838-7111.

**Family Fun Night**

March 14—4 to 8pm—St. John Evangelist School Gym, sponsored by Cub Scout Pack 316. Games & Vendors, Yummy Food! Giant inflatable obstacle course.

All proceeds benefit Sojourner Truth House

**Ministry Schedule**  
**March 14th & 15th**

**Extraordinary Ministers**

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

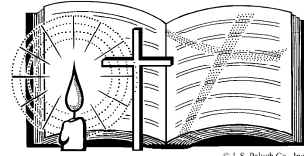
**Lectors**

4:30pm—Sue Blue  
8:00am—Volunteer Needed  
10:00am—Volunteer Needed  
6:00pm—Tom Roach

**Ministry Schedule**  
**March 14th & 15th**

**Cantors**

4:30pm— Maggie De Roo  
8:00am— Celeste Dusek  
10:00am— Celeste Dusek  
6:00pm— Tom Lewandowski



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Christ Jesus . . . destroyed death  
and brought life and immortality  
to light through the gospel.  
— *2 Timothy 1:10b*

**THE HEAVIEST LOAD**

A chip on the shoulder is the heaviest load  
anyone can carry.  
—Anonymous

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