St. Joseph Church

May 5, 2024 Sixth Sunday of Easter

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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.

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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
Friday, 8:00 AM to 3:00 PM
Parish Telephones
Parish Office:
Religious Education Office:
(At St. Maria Goretti)
Staff Directory
Pastor: Rev. Peter Muha
Email: pastor@stjosephdyer.org
Pastoral Associate & Building & Grounds
Coordinator: Deacon Gary Blue
Email: buildings@stjosephdyer.org
Office Manager: Patty Jarzembowski
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Director of Religious Education: Kathy Hansen
St. Maria Goretti
Email: kathyh@smgdyer.org
Director of Music & Liturgy: William Coble
Email: music@stjosephdyer.org
Assistant to Office: Mary Marszalek
Email: assistant@stjosephdyer.org
Mass Schedule
Weekend Masses
Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00AM, 6:00PM
Weekday Masses
Mon, Tues, Wed., Thurs, Fri: 9:00 AM
Holy Day Masses
Please see schedule inside bulletin.
Sacramental Life
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturday 3:00 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: Ed Hebda
Bulletin Deadline
Monday 12:00 Noon, in writing.



- Monday, May 6, Easter Weekday 9:00 AM Lucille Wright Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk
- **Tuesday, May 7, Easter Weekday** 9:00 AM Jim & Cindy Paolino 50th Anniversary Celebrant: Fr. Peter
- Wednesday, May 8, Easter Weekday 9:00 AM Norbert & Vera Smith & Family Celebrant: Fr. Peter
- **Thursday, May 9, Easter Weekday** 9:00 AM Virginia Kolisz LaCroix Celebrant: Fr. Peter
- Friday, May 10, Easter Weekday 9:00 AM Barbara Bogovich Celebrant: Fr. Peter

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 11, Vigil: The Ascension of the Lord

4:30 PM Martin Trombetta Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk

- Sunday, May 12, The Ascension of the Lord 8:00 AM The People of the Parish Celebrant: Fr. Peter 10:00 AM Christopher & Elvira Galvan
- Celebrant: Fr. Peter
 - 6:00 PM Leonard & Marie Gallenberger Celebrant: Fr. Gaza

Helping Hands Food Pantry

There will be a second collection next weekend, May 11th & 12th for our Food Pantry.





ST. JOSEPH WOMEN'S MINISTRY "Halo Ladies"

Please join us in Praying the Rosary, followed by Mass, followed by our year end celebration.

All women are encourage to attend our closing celebration of faith.

Please join us May 14th from 6:00pm to 8:00pm.

NOTE TIME CHANGE: we will meet in church at 6pm

Mother's Day Memorial Envelope

In your envelope packet your will find a light yellow envelope "Mothers' Day Memorial Flowers".

You are invited to write your loved ones names on the back of the envelopes for remembrance during Mother's Day weekend masses and make a donation that will be used toward flowers and other liturgical items needed.

Thank You.



Jesus, I Trust In You

Our Lady of Lourdes, Pray For Us.

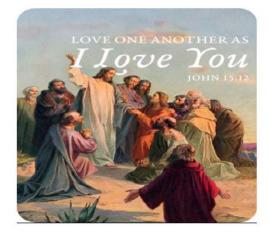
Catholic Services Appeal

As of 4/20/24 we have collected \$23,325.56 in pledges and donations toward our goal of \$47,996.00 Many thanks to the following parishioners who pledged or donated to this year's Appeal: Rev. Peter Muha, M/M John Smolinski, Mr. George Kucka, M/M Kenneth Mantel, M/M Lawrence Klonowski, M/M Wayne Gallenberger, Mr. John Werner, Mrs. Margaret Quinn, M/M Joseph Stankovich, Mr. Edward Kasza, M/M Colin Thompson, M/M Donald Nowak, Mrs. Cynthia Hesser, Ms. Dorothy Piscitelli, M/ M Bernard Bernard, M/M Daniel Keca, Jr., M/M Michael Conry, M/M Phillip Coniglio, M/M Ryan Florek, M/M Joseph David, M/M Kevin O'Drobinak, M/M Daniel Witulski, M/M Mark Phalen, Ms. Mary Elizabeth Fry, and M/M Timothy Schutz.

Remember everything we received past our goal comes back 100% to our parish.

Anything and everything is most appreciated.

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* April 20th & 21st	米
* Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00	米
* Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount	米
* Collected: \$9138.07	⋇
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Blessed Sacrament Chapel

Blessed Sacrament Chapel is now open for private prayer Monday through Saturday from 10:00am till 4:00pm. The interior doors to the main Church will be locked following the 9am Mass Monday through Friday. On Saturday, the interior doors to the Church will not open until 3pm. To access the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, you must enter through the southwest exterior door of the Church. Go up the stairs and take a left and the Chapel is the second door on your left.

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH Monday, May 6 6:30pm—Finance Council meeting Tuesday, May 7 9:45am—Gospel reflections in

Gathering Room immediately after mass. 9:45am 50/50 Raffle Drawing

6:00pm—Building Com. Meeting Wednesday, May 8

6:30pm Pastoral Council Discernment meeting

Thursday, May 9

6:00pm—Evening Prayer & Holy Hour

Saturday, May 11

10:00am—Pastoral Council Discernment meeting

November Pilgrimage

Join Fr. Martin Dobrzynski, Fr. Gregory Bim-Merle, and Fr. Peter Muha on a twelve-day pilgrimage, November 11-22, visiting Fatima, the shrines of Spain, and Lourdes. The cost is \$3799 per person, double occupancy. For a full brochure and registration form, contact Fr. Peter Muha at the parish office.

Please join the Diocese of Gary

Celebrating 25 Years



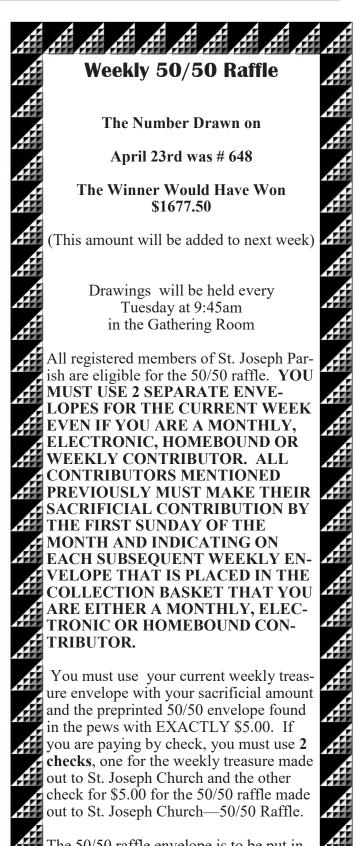
Most Rev. Robert J. McClory Ordination to the Priesthood



Friday, May 10, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of the Holy Angels 640 Tyler St., Gary, IN



tinyurl.com/ 25thAnniversaryMass



The 50/50 raffle envelope is to be put in the collection along with your sacrificial weekly treasure envelope

Ministry Schedule May 11th & 12th

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm— Mary Ann Deutsche, Paul Gerrity,
Bonnie Gruver
8:00am— Arlene Stephens, Marily Tumpis
10:00am—Kathy Lebryk, Jim Paolino, Art Tkacz
6:00pm—Jill Hayhurst

Save The Date Fellowship Picnic

The St. Joseph Parish Fellowship Picnic will be on Sunday, September 22, 2024, starting at noon until 5:00pm. Please save the date so you do not miss out on all the fun!

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Plenary Indulgence for National Eucharistic Pilgrimage

A decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary and approved by Pope Francis indicates that a plenary indulgence will be granted to the Christian faithful who participate in the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage at any point between May 17 and July 16, 2024. It will also be granted to the elderly, infirm, and all those who cannot leave their homes for a serious reason and who participate in spirit with the National Eucharistic Pilgrimage, uniting their prayers, pains, or inconveniences with Christ and the pilgrimage.

A plenary indulgence is defined in the *Catechism of the Catholic Church* as a "remission before God of the temporal punishment due to sins whose guilt has already been forgiven, which the faithful Christian who is duly disposed gains under certain prescribed conditions through the action of the Church which, as the minister of redemption, dispenses and applies with authority the treasury of the satisfactions of Christ and the saints."

A person having gone to confession, knows they have been forgiven by God, but there may be consequences to those sins either here on earth or in purgatory. An indulgence frees the person from those consequences, but the indulgence can only be earned if certain criteria are met.

This indulgence is granted under the usual conditions of sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father. The faithful may also apply this indulgence through suffrage for the souls of the faithful departed in Purgatory.

The second decree issued by the Apostolic Penitentiary and approved by Pope Francis, says that Archbishop Broglio or another prelate of episcopal rank assigned by him, following the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, may impart the Papal Blessing with a Plenary Indulgence to the Christian Faithful who participate in the National Eucharistic Congress, who are truly repentant, and who are motivated by charity, if the usual conditions for indulgences—sacramental Confession, Eucharistic Communion, and prayer for the intentions of the Holy Father—have been met. Faithful individuals who, due to reasonable circumstances and with pious intention, have participated in the sacred rites and received the Papal Blessing through media communications, may also obtain a Plenary Indulgence.

