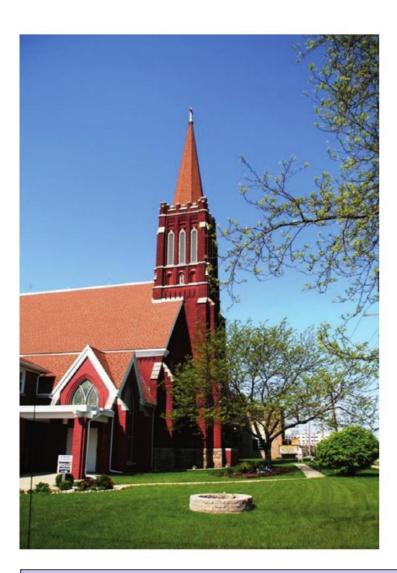
St. Joseph Church

May 19, 2024
Pentecost Sunday

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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:......219-865-2271

Religious Education Office:

(At St. Maria Goretti).....219-322-6124

Staff Directory

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Mass Schedule

Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:30 PM

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 20, The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

9:00 AM Raimondo Family Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk

Tuesday, May 21, Weekday

9:00 AM Deacon Gary Blue

Celebrant: Fr. Peter

Wednesday, May 22, Weekday

9:00 AM Kevin Andrew Garza

Celebrant: Fr. Peter

Thursday, May 23, Weekday

9:00 AM Kevin Andrew Garza

Celebrant: Fr.Peter

Friday, May 24, Weekday

9:00 AM Kevin Andrew Garza

Celebrant: Fr. Peter

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, May 25, Vigil: The Most Holy Trinity

4:30 PM John Kuhar Celebrant: Fr. Krolczyk

Sunday, May 26, The Most Holy Trinity

8:00 AM Richard & Jenny Schorle

Celebrant: Fr. Peter

10:00 AM The People of the Parish

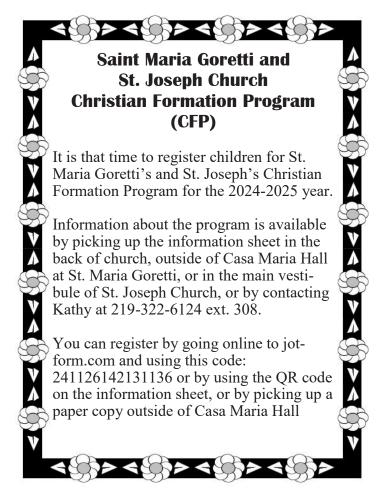
Celebrant: Fr. Peter

6:00 PM Sharon & Ray Kramer

Celebrant: Fr. Gaza

WANTED

The St. Joseph Buildings and Grounds Committee is looking to form a Fundraising Committee to focus exclusively on raising money for the renovation and remodeling of the Church Building. To assist us with this project, we are seeking Parishioners who have a background in banking, finance, accounting, grant writing and/or fundraising, and want to be a part of building the future of our historic St. Joseph Parish. This group will brainstorm and coordinate different ways to raise money including but not limited to a Capital Campaign, grants, parish & community events, social media, and outside sources. If you have the gifts for this Ministry and would like to learn more about it, please contact our office at 219-865-2271 or email at office@stjosephdyer.org or buildings@stjosephdyer.org.





Traveling Vocation Cross

There is a sign-up schedule for the Traveling Vocation Cross for parishioners to bring home for a week with daily prayers provided by a booklet plus a blessing with Traveling Cross bag.

Thank you for your participation.





Explore & Inquire

Your Guide to the National Eucharistic Congress

Thursday, May 30 at 6 p.m. on Zoom Register at tinyurl.com/NECExplore









St. Joe's Parish Life Movie Night Wednesday, May 29, 7-9 PM Gathering Room

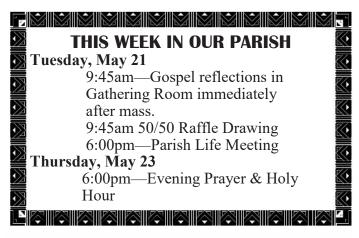
Still Restless?

It was May 13, 1917 when our Mother began a series of apparitions to three children in Portugal, ending five months later,

on October 13, with the Miracle of the Sun. Come! 107 years later. Hear Our Lady call us to pray the Holy Rosary for the reparation of souls, in a world, and at a time, that is sorely in need.

Is your soul restless? Do you perceive a very restless world? Come, hear your Mother teach how our souls should rest in God.

Children Welcome! Free Popcorn and Soft Drinks





The parish communities of Holy Martyrs (Merrillville), Holy Name (Cedar Lake), Our Lady of Consolation (Merrillville), St. John the Evangelist (St. John), and St. Joseph (Dyer) invite all young adults to a summer speaker series!

Embark on a transformative journey of faith and fellowship with our Summer Young Adult Speaker Series, specially curated for Catholic young adults aged 18-39. Immerse yourself in a dynamic exploration of topics that resonate deeply with the Catholic faith, from the profound mystery of the Eucharist to the call to selfless service in our communities. In a world marked by division and discord, discover how our faith can help bring about unity and reconciliation. Reflect on the essence of identity rooted in our shared dignity as children of God, while venerating Mary, the Mother of God, as a timeless example of faith and devotion. Delve into the calling of vocations through the eyes of a newly ordained priest.

These enriching opportunities not only deepen your understanding of the Catholic faith but also equip you with practical insights on how to live out your faith every day, inspiring you to be a beacon of light and love in the world. Join us as we gather in fellowship, dialogue, and prayer, igniting the flames of faith and forging deeper connections with one another and with God.

See Inserts for List of Speakers, Places, Times, and Dates.

Weekly 50/50 Raffle

The Number Drawn on

May 7th was # 132

The Winner Would Have Won \$2010.00

(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 ENVE-LOPES 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 EN-VELOPE THAT IS PLACED IN THE **COLLECTION BASKET THAT YOU** ARE EITHER A MONTHLY, ELEC-TRONIC OR HOMEBOUND CON-TRIBUTOR.

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

Ministry Schedule May 25th & 26th

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm— Mark Gabrione, Bonnie Gruver,

Judy Nowacki

8:00am— Mike Jasinski, Ray Voyles

10:00am—Allan Burgos, Jim Paolino, Art Tkacz

6:00pm—Jill Hayhurst

MAY CROWNING

Sunday, May 19th 7:00pm at the Carmelite Monastery, Munster, honoring Mary, Queen of Heaven and Earth. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Candlelight procession. For information, call (219) 836-8779.

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.

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