

St. Joseph Church

August 30, 2020

Twenty-Second Sunday in
Ordinary Time

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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.

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

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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, August 31, Weekday
 9:00 AM David A. Nowakowski
Tuesday, September 1, Weekday
 9:00 AM Joan Zerebny
Wednesday, September 2, Weekday
 No 9:00 AM Mass
Thursday, September 3, St. Gregory
 9:00 AM Reno Romani
Friday, September 4, Weekday
 9:00 AM St. Joseph Parishioners
 7:00 PM Ryan Anderson

Weekend Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 5, Vigil: 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 4:30 PM Leonard & Amelia Riese & Leonard Riese, Jr.
Sunday, September 6, 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
 8:00 AM The People of the Parish
 10:00 AM Anthony Galvan
 6:00 PM In Memory of Stanley Boleck Jr.



First Fridays at St. Joseph Parish

You are invited Friday, September 4th, to be part of our First Friday devotions. This will be every First Friday, each month. In all (3) vestibules there is a sign-up sheet asking for your name and phone number to be an adorer of the Blessed Sacrament.

First Friday Schedule

9AM—Holy Mass (Ordinary Form)
9:45AM-6:45PM—Eucharistic Adoration (10 Hours of Adoration)
Noon Angelus + Midday Prayer
5PM—Evening Prayer
6:30PM—Benediction
7PM—Holy Mass (Extraordinary Form)
 Note: Ordinary Form = English Extraordinary Form = Traditional Latin Mass



Partners in Christ's Work

As per Father Ted's letter to our parish, the annual Catholic Service Appeal has started. As we navigate the challenges of the coronavirus pandemic, the need to support ministries of the Church is greater than ever. A gift to the CSA empowers the faithful of Northwest Indiana to serve as partners in Christ's work by responding to the needs of others. We thank you and pray for God's blessings upon your generosity.

If you do not have the CSA Pledge/Payment card Father mailed, don't hesitate to call the parish office, 865-2271, for another one. Remember, everything we collect past our goal comes back 100% to the parish.

Worldwide Marriage Encounter (WWME)

Is pleased to announce that we will proceed with Virtual Weekends starting in October 2020. Worldwide Marriage Encounter will come to you! A virtual marriage encounter. RESTORE communication, REKINDLE romance, and RENEW commitment.

October 1, 8, 15, 22, 29
 November 5, 12, 2020 at 7:00pm
 For more information or to apply go to:
www.wwme-Chicagoland.org
 Or call 630-577-0778

THE CROSS OF JESUS

The perception of a cross changed dramatically after Jesus' crucifixion. Before that event, death on a cross was not only horrible, it was degrading. It was a penalty reserved only for the most wretched of criminals. The word "glory" would not have found its way into the same sentence containing the word "cross." But all that changed with Jesus. Over time, believers began to venerate and honor the cross. They painted, sculpted, and carved images of it. Many lost their own lives for their association with it. Today our reverence for and relationship with the cross recalls little of the contempt originally associated with it. As it has been through the ages, it is our perception of the cross that determines how we follow Jesus.

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Stewardship of Treasure Report

August 22nd & 23rd

Weekly Budget Amount Needed: \$6051.00
Weekly Sunday Treasure Amount Collected: \$2979.56
Charity: \$188.00
Religious Education: \$10.00
Assumption: \$65.00
Food Pantry: \$100.00
50/50 Raffle: \$80.00

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40; Lk 5:33-39
Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5
Sunday: Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20

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Overcoming Obstacles. Jeremiah complains that because of the compelling presence of God within, he cannot **not** speak God's message. Paul urges us not to conform ourselves to **this** age. And Peter, trying to protect Jesus, blurts out "God forbid" and becomes an obstacle to Jesus' mission. Baptized followers of Jesus must **deny**, take up the cross, and **follow**.

- In denying self, how will I attend to another's need this week?
- What is the cross I bear for the sake of the Kingdom of Heaven?
- How will I follow, not the greed of this age, but the goodness of Christian life?

Gratitude Quotes

"Gratitude is the fairest blossom which springs from the soul."

—Henry Ward Beecher

"Know that the greatest service that man can offer to God is to help convert souls."

—St. Rose of Lima

"St. Joseph, Dyer, Helping Hands Food Pantry..."

"Drive-In & Drop-Off, No Contact Food Drive".

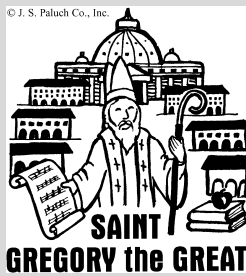
We will be collecting Canned Goods & Non-perishable Food Items in our Parish Parking Lot on Wednesday, Sept. 9th (5-7pm) and Saturday, Sept. 12th (9-11am). Please help us help others."

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

Tuesday, September 1
9:45am—50/50 Raffle Drawing

Thursday, September 3
6:30pm—Family Rosary

Friday, September 4
First Friday schedule as on page 2



**SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT
(540-604)**

September 3

Imagine, fourteen hundred years after death, boasting a best-selling CD! Yet outside the Church and within, Gregorian chant is enjoying a renaissance. Still, the timeless sacred music that bears his name is but part of Gregory’s legacy. Renouncing civic service for monastic life, Gregory’s administrative and diplomatic skills prompted continual summons from the cloister. Papal ambassador and advisor, he was eventually elected pope himself, renowned as a wise steward of the church’s material possessions, generous benefactor of the poor, sponsor of missionaries, and promotor of monasticism. His liturgical enrichment of the Church endures not only in Gregorian chant, but in eloquent homilies still gracing the Liturgy of the Hours, the “Gregorian Canon” (Eucharistic Prayer I), and his spiritual classic, *Pastoral Care*, once presented to new bishops at ordination. Of countless impressive papal titles—Supreme Pontiff, Vicar of Christ, Successor of Saint Peter, Prince of the Apostles—the title still so cherished that it heads official documents is the one Gregory coined to describe his papal ideal: Servant of the Servants of God. Together with being designated “the Great,” a fitting epitaph

—Peter Scagnelli, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Weekly 50/50 Raffle

**The Number Drawn on
August 18th
Was # 458**

The Winner Would Have Won \$480.00
(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



**Ministry Schedule
September 5th & 6th**

Extraordinary Ministers

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

Lectors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—

**Ministry Schedule
September 5th & 6th**

Cantors

4:30pm—
8:00am—
10:00am—
6:00pm—



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Be transformed by the renewal of your mind,
that you may discern what is the will of God,
what is good and pleasing and perfect.

— *Romans 12:2*

PRESENCE

Wherever you see another, there I am.

—Rabbinical saying

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